

TELEPHONE SERVICE TO BE RESUMED BY COMING WEEK-END

SYSTEM WILL BE IN WORKING
ORDER SATURDAY EVENING
OR SUNDAY MORNING.

ARE TESTING OUT LINES TODAY

Tests Will Be Made Until 9 O'Clock
Tonight—Will Be Continued
Tomorrow.

Dixon's telephone service will be resumed late Saturday evening or early Sunday morning if nothing unexpected is encountered by the workmen who are now rebuilding the central exchange. The switchboard and cables have been tested out and found to be in perfect condition and all that now remains to be done is to test the individual lines and phones and connect them with the switchboard.

Thus present indications are that the service will be resumed by the end of the week, and if this is accomplished everyone concerned with the rehabilitation of the plant is worthy the unlimited congratulations and thanks of the subscribers in putting the plant back into commission just two weeks from the time it was burned.

Testing Out Lines.

This afternoon operators tested out lines in North Dixon and a part of the business district, and the tests will continue until 9 o'clock this evening. It is impossible to say just what sections of the city will be tested during the evening and tomorrow, therefore patrons are asked to answer their phones as soon as possible after they hear the bell, as the operators will not be able to wait, and those who fail to answer may be delayed in having their service resumed.

Today it was found that the subscribers in the residence district answered the phones quickly, but that many of the business houses were especially tardy in answering.

Not In Service.

The fact that central communicates with any subscriber showing that the telephone is in working order does not mean that the telephone can be used, as service will not be resumed until due notice is given by the company, and any attempt to get central before that announcement will meet with failure.

More Corrections.

It has been found necessary to make changes in the number of telephones and the full corrected list of telephones the numbers of which have been changed will be found on page seven.

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TELEPHONE MAN WAS BURNED

John Samons, Cable Splicer, Upset
Pot of Hot Beeswax.

John Samons of Rockford, a cable splicer who has been employed on the reconstruction of the Dixon Home Telephone company's plant, was painfully burned about the head and face this afternoon when he overturned a pot of molten beeswax, the hot fluid splattering into his face. He was taken to a physician who dressed his burns.

SAYS WALLS ARE NOT DANGEROUS

Contractor Smith Examines Condition of Countryman Ruins

At the instigation of Commissioner Van Bibber Contractor Mark Smith made an examination of the condition of the walls of the Countryman building, and he has reported that they are safe insofar as the public is concerned with the precautions which have been taken by the city. The commission ordered the examination to quiet reports that the walls might fall out.

THE WEATHER



WILSON REFUSES HIS SUPPORT

To Amendment to Federal Constitution for Equal Suffrage.

(Associated Press)
New York, Jan. 27—President Wilson today refused to support the movement for an amendment to the federal constitution providing for woman's suffrage. At the Waldorf-Astoria hotel he told 200 members of the Congressional Union of Woman Suffragists that he felt the question should be dealt with by each individual state. While here Wilson is scheduled to deliver three addresses today.

NORTH-WESTERN CARS FREE OF CONTAGION

INSPECTOR AND TEN DEPUTIES
DEVOTE TIME TO MAINTAINING SANITATION

CLEANSING AT END OF EACH TRIP

Passengers on the Northwestern, whether riding on the de luxe limited trains or jerkwater locals, can feel reasonably safe from infection and contagion in cars. Ten inspectors, under Dr. C. G. Elmore of Chicago, devote their entire time to inspecting and maintaining sanitary conditions in the cars and stations of the road.

Not only are the coaches inspected, but also the water coolers, the dining car, dining car kitchens, toilets, both in the cars and stations, and any other possible breeding place for germs. Water coolers are cleaned daily and are steamed with live steam at least weekly. Not content with that, the water supply for the coolers and all drinking places of road employees and of the traveling public are examined. Samples of water are taken and an analysis made.

Coaches are scrubbed out to remove the dirt. Then they are cleaned with a germicide to make them sanitary and lastly a deodorant is used to remove foul or disagreeable odors. To such lengths does the company go to insure the traveling public against contagion. It is the duty of Dr. Elmore and his deputies to see that the precautions are observed and to handle any special situation that may develop. Just now he is looking over the branch roads and they will be kept as carefully clean as the main line cars and stations.

MAY REPAIR ROAD TO M'ROBERTS CROSSING

MOVEMENT ON FOOT TO HAVE
HIGHWAY MACADAMIZED
DURING COMING YEAR.

Workmen are erecting a fence along the north side of the grade leading to the bridge at McRoberts' crossing. It would be well if the town of Nelson built a fence along the south side 20 rods on each side of the road, which has been macadamized and is in first class condition. The road three-quarters of a mile east of the Sherman avenue corner is bad and needs attention. There are stretches of the road in South Dixon and Dixon townships and the remainder within the corporate limits of the city of Dixon. It is understood that there is talk of taking the matter up and macadamizing the road. This would give a fine entrance to the city from the southwest part of the county.

DISCUSS Y. M. C. A. SECRETARYSHIP

Directors Held Meeting Wednesday
Evening—Many Applications.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. held a special meeting last evening regarding the selection of a successor to general Secretary E. T. Bailey, who leaves March 1 to assume a similar position at Jackson, Mich. The board has several applications for the vacancy, but does not expect to make a selection at present. The members wish to secure a man who has had experience in association work and who is fitted to take up the work left off by Mr. Bailey.

EX-MAYOR IS ILL.

Ex-Mayor I. F. Edwards, who has been confined to his bed since the first of the week, is reported to be no better today. His condition is said to be serious.

WALL STREET HEARS FRANCIS JOSEPH IS ON DEATH BED NOW

JOURNAL PUBLISHED REPORT—
VATICAN ADVICES SAY HE
IS SICKING.

LABOR IS AGAINST CONSCRIPTION

British Trades Union Adopted Resolution By Overwhelming Vote.

BULLETIN
(Associated Press)

New York, Jan. 27—The Wall Street Journal this afternoon published a bulletin that Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary is dying.

Cairo dispatches to the Cologne Volks Zeitung state that the British forces in southern Arabia are in a dangerous position as the result of fierce attacks by the Arabs and Turks.

British casualties there up to Dec. 30 amounted to 15,000 killed and 20,000 wounded. The number of British troops now at Aden is 20,000.

Against Conscription.

At Bristol, England, today the great trade union congress passed by an overwhelming vote a resolution against the adoption of conscription in any form.

A French socialist deputy, addressing the conference, said that 800,000 French soldiers had been killed, 1,400,000 had been wounded and 300,000 had been captured during the war.

Is Kaiser's Birthday.

Emperor William's 57th birthday is being celebrated in Germany today.

Francis Joseph Worse.

The condition of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria-Hungary is growing worse, according to Vatican circles.

Japan Denies Story.

The report from London that Japan had made seven demands upon China, has been denied by Tokio.

TO TAKE UP SECOND JURY CASE MONDAY

CIRCUIT COURT ADJOURNED TO-
DAY UNTIL FIRST OF
NEXT WEEK.

Circuit court was adjourned this morning by Judge Baume until next Monday at 1:30 p. m. when the criminal case of Wm. Hawkins, col., indicted by the grand jury on a charge of larceny, is set for trial. This will be the second jury case to be taken up so far this term, all others either having been settled or passed for the term. There will likely be two or three jury cases next week, according to the present plans. Little chancery work has so far been disposed of and it is likely there will be a cleaning up of this department after the jury has been discharged.

MEDICAL ASSN. WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEET

SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF PER-
NICIOUS ANAEMIA TO BE
DISCUSSED

The annual meeting of the Lee County Medical Association will be held at the city hall in Dixon Thursday, Feb. 3, and it is expected it will prove of exceptional interest. The morning session, which will convene at 10 o'clock will be devoted to the election of officers and transaction of general business; while in the afternoon Dr. Nelson M. Percy of the Augustana hospital will deliver a stereopticon lecture on "The Surgical Management of Pernicious Anemia" with a report of cases. Doctors A. F. Moore and C. H. Bokhof of Dixon, are president and secretary, respectively of the association.

WILL OCCUPY NEW INFIRMARY

The County Home committee will meet at the new county home building tomorrow morning to check up the new furniture and equipment. The superintendent will move into the new building the first of next week.

CARNEGIE IN SOUTH SEEKING HEALTH, MISSES THE MEETING OF HIS "BOYS."



MR. CARNEGIE AND HIS HOUSEBOAT

(Meeting in New York in the residence of Charles M. Schwab, Andrew Carnegie's "boys" deplored the absence of the man who gave them "the greasy rag of industry" to wipe millions from the "Aladdin's lamp of opportunity." Mr. Carnegie is seeking health in Florida aboard his houseboat, the Everglades. It was the first time since he organized the Carnegie Veterans' association in 1902 that the permanent president of the organization had been absent, and it was the first time in fourteen that he had not been the host, the toastmaster, the chief speaker and at least half of the whole "get together.")

KILLED WIFE AND DAUGHTER, THEN SELF

NATHAN PULLMAN, CHICAGO IN-
SURANCE AGENT, JUMPED
FROM THIRD STORY.

WENT FOR REUNION WITH FAMILY

(Associated Press)
New York, Jan. 27—The police today identified the body of a man who died at a hospital after jumping from the third floor of a hotel, as Nathan Pullman, a retired Chicago insurance agent who was being sought on the charge of having murdered his wife, Rebecca, and his daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Bazel, in their Bronx apartment yesterday.

A letter in his clothes addressed to "Newspapers and Everybody," said: "Good-bye, everybody. I guess I made good. I am going on a long journey" and advised people "not to worry over those two, as they are better off." Friends said Pullman came from Chicago for a reunion with his family, and he is believed to have carried \$5,000 when he left the apartment.

FIRST TAX BOOKS IN COLLECTORS' HANDS

ALL OF BOOKS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED BY END OF WEEK, IS
THE EXPECTATION.

This forenoon five township collectors received their tax books from County Clerk F. G. Dimick and are now ready to start collections. It is expected that the remainder of the books will be taken tomorrow or Saturday and by next week the collectors will be working. Collector Frank Arbogast of Dixon township expects to file his bond tomorrow and secure his books. Charles Eastman has been selected as deputy and will have charge of collections, with headquarters at the Union State bank. The amount to be collected this year is large and it is hardly probable the collections will be a close as last year. Those taking books today: Linn Johnson, Viola; Daniel J. Utz, Bradford; George Aschenbrenner, Ashton; August Pfeiffer, Reynolds, and E. Herbst, Nachusa.

Other collectors who took out tax books this afternoon were Edward Morrissey of Marion; William Wigum of Brooklyn; Charles Knapp of Hamilton and Eric Weed of Nelson townships.

WILL SELL LUMBER.

The old lumber taken from the floor of the Grand Detour bridge, together with new creosote planking left over will be sold at public auction at the bridge on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

A COLD WAVE DUE TONIGHT

Message From Northwest Tells of
Low Temperatures There.

A cold wave is on the way, according to advices from the west and the northwest, and it should strike Dixon tonight—a welcome relief from the "mushy" weather of the past two days. Reports from Marshalltown, Ia. this morning were to the effect that the mercury had dropped thirty degrees in three hours and was still falling, while messages from the northwest indicate much lower temperatures there.

OILED STONE ROADS GAINING MUCH FAVOR

HIGHWAY ENGINEERS IN SHORT
COURSE AT U. OF I. REPORT
THEIR OBSERVATIONS.

SOME LAY BRICK IN CONCRETE

County Supervisor of Highways L. B. Neighbour is home from two weeks spent at the University of Illinois, attending an instruction course for highway engineers. Much was learned regarding road building, material to be used in different sections of the state and the manner of preparing the road. The matter of oiling roads was perhaps one of the most discussed subjects and opinions were given by highway authorities from Indiana, Iowa and Wisconsin. L. Hirst Wisconsin's state highway engineer, was a strong advocate of building roads of limestone or good gravel and oil. With an occasional oil dressing the road will improve and stand heavy traffic.

The sentiment for concrete roads was not as great as last year. In many places where the road have been built they are already in need of repair. The best road to build, one that will stand all kinds of traffic, is of brick. The highway supervisor from Vermillion county reported that in his county they are trying out brick roads laid in concrete. A sand cushion is done away with and after grading the roadbed concrete is spread four inches deep in the center and three at the side and the brick is set in this green concrete and the joints filled in with grout. They find this as cheap as a macadam base, as rock has to be shipped in. In sections where there is plenty of rock that foundation with a sand cushion answers the purpose.

A properly constructed limestone road properly constructed and oiled, makes what can be classed as a permanent road. Oiling on a dirt road maintains the road for that season only. In localities where stone can be secured this kind of material will be most used.

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY OF CHICAGO BANK TODAY

JAKE STAHL'S INSTITUTION WAS
BURGLARIZED OF \$15,000 BY
FOUR ARMED MEN.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Jan. 27—Four armed robbers entered the Washington Park National bank on Sixty-third street today, threatened the lives of the cashier and clerk and twenty depositors, and escaped in an automobile with between \$12,000 and \$15,000. The depositors were ordered to face the wall but were not searched. Jake Stahl, graduate of the University of Illinois, and manager of the Boston American league baseball team when it won the world's championship in 1912, is vice president of the bank.

While the robbers entered the teller's cage Stahl was forced to remain at his desk by one of the robbers who pointed two guns at his head. Municipal Judge Frye was one of the depositors who witnessed the robbery.

WILL PLAY IN LEE.

The Marquette orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for a dancing party at Lee tomorrow evening.

TAKEN HOME

LeRoy Seloover was this morning removed from the hospital to his home north of the city.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Edward M. Graybill, Dixon.
Ruth A. Manges, Dixon.

Miss Miriam Bowles has recovered from her recent illness.

FOUR AMERICANS DIE TRYING TO SAVE TWO CAPTURED COMRADES

FOURTEEN TROOPERS CROSSED
RIO GRANDE AND PENETRATED
INTO MEXICO

FAILED TO FIND MISSING ONES

General Funston Ordered Arrest Of
Lieutenants Who Lead Relief
Expedition

BULLETIN
(Associated Press)

Brownsville, Tex., Jan. 27—Privates Wheeler and Pederson were today rescued by Carranza's troops and were brought here.

Brownsville, Tex., Jan. 27—Lieuts. Mort, Payton and Waldron, who yesterday led a party of fourteen American troops into Mexico opposite Progresso in an attempt to rescue Privates Wheeler and Henderson, who had been captured by Mexicans, were ordered arrested by General Funston.

Four Americans Drowned.

In the expedition four Americans were drowned while attempting to swim the Rio Grande. The others penetrated into Mexico but failed to accomplish their object. There was a prolonged cross fire from the American and Mexican sides during the operations, but no one was wounded. It is said the Mexicans engaged were not soldiers and that Carranza expeditions are searching for them.

ASKS REHEARING IN INLET SWAMP CASE

SHERMAN L. SHAW NOT SATIS-
FIED WITH DAMAGES
AWARDED HIM.

Today in the county court Attorney E. E. Wingert, representing Sherman L. Shaw, filed a petition asking that the court refuse to confirm the verdict rendered by the jury in the Inlet drainage matter, as far as it relates to lawn owned by the petitioner, and that a new trial be granted in the case. The reasons given in asking for the new trial are that the damages allowed are not sufficient and that the verdict does not contain proper descriptions of land to be taken in for the improvement. Other reason also were cited in the petition. The court will set a date later for hearing the petition.

DEBATED EMBARGO RESOLUTION

Resolution on Arms Prohibition Was
Referred to Committee.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 27—The senate today debated indirectly the Morehouse proposal to put an embargo on war munitions, and then without a vote, referred the resolution to the committee on Foreign Relations as the administration leaders wished. A thousand bundles of petitions signed by a million men and women asking for the embargo was presented.

The debate was on the question as to what committee the petitions should go to. Hitchcock favored the commerce committee. Hitchcock, Martine, Clarke and Ashurst, democrats, and Clapp, Works and LaFollette favored the embargo. Townsend and Smoot, republicans, urged referring the petitions to the foreign relations committee, but thought the shipment of munitions should be prohibited. "It is an open secret," Townsend said, "that we are not exactly neutral."

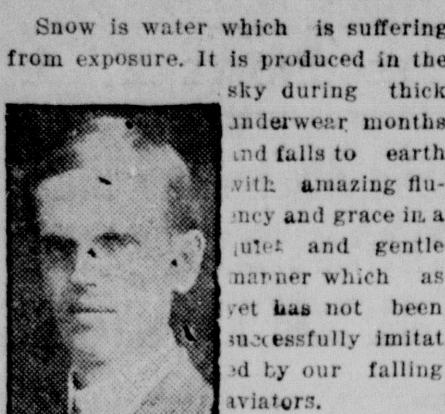
MAY FINISH BRIDGE THIS WEEK

Work on Grand Detour Bridge Floor
Is Well Advanced.

The laying of the floor of the Grand Detour bridge is progressing rapidly. The creosote sub-planking has been laid as have the creosote blocks for almost three-quarters the length of the bridge. With continued open weather the remainder of the week it is thought the work will be finished. Contractor Shons of Freeport has been most obliging to travelers over the bridge and traffic has been delayed but little.

Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"
SNOW.



Snow is water which is suffering from exposure. It is produced in the sky during thick underwear months and falls to earth with amazing fluency and grace in a manner which as yet has not been successfully imitated by our falling aviators.

Snow when it first arrives is pure and beautiful like campaign pledges of the politician. But like these same promises it changes complexion rapidly and melts away, leaving a lot of dirt and hard feelings behind. There is nothing more splendid and inspiring than the arrival of a foot of snow and nothing more sloppy and oozy and dejecting than its departure. The snow can outwear its welcome more quickly than any other guest, unless perhaps the toothache.

Snow is very mild and inoffensive and is a great beautifier. It falls over the dirty street, the unkempt back yard, the paintless shed and the sleeping drunkard in the alley and covers over all these imperfections with spotless white mounds. But, for all this, it is a great curse. It sprawls over our sidewalks and compels us to wade through it on our way to town. A shoe full of beautiful snow will produce

chilblains, pneumonia and bronchitis for the wearer without extra charge. We, of the United States, waste a lot of time prosecuting gamblers and confidence men, which might better be spent in making it unhealthy for the horny-hided loafers who sit before their fires and let women and children wade through the snow on their walks outside. Such men should be carefully collected and segregated to the desert of Sahara, where there is neither snow nor sidewalks for it to fall upon.

Among the crimes committed by the beautiful snow is the snowdrift. Snow is a great traveler and loves to gather in ten-foot deep conventions in railroad cuts, thus making the morning mail seventeen hours late. When snow is moist it can also be moulded into a small, hard ball and discharged with frightful velocity by a small boy. Because of this fact the gas lamp and the plug hat have gone entirely out of style.

Many beautiful poems have been written about the snow by those who enjoy seeing it fall, and have plenty of husky relatives to remove it when it gets undesirable. But some of our most complicated and corrosive conversation has also been invented by citizens wading home at night in two feet of snow, after the street car system has been extinguished; or who have just been assaulted with a ten-bushel avalanche from some slanting roof.

INTERESTING NEWS FROM THE SPORTING WORLD

The proposed bout between Willard and Frank Moran is of unusual interest in that it brings to bear upon the heavyweight title several angles that are unusual in ring contests wherein this title has been involved. Under the laws of the state of New York the boxers will meet in what is termed a ten round sparring exhibition without decision and if both men are on their feet at the expiration of thirty minutes of boxing future ring records will carry the bout as a no-decision contest.

Consequently the only way in which the championship could pass from Willard, the holder, to Moran, would be for the latter to knock out his opponent or win on a foul so deliberate there could be no question as to its intent. It can be seen therefore that the chief interest in the contest hinges on the probability of either Willard or Moran knocking out his opponent and thus demonstrating his decisive supremacy.

Since the days when heavyweights first donned gloves and fought under Queensbury rules the ring records show that knockouts in bouts in which champions have participated have averaged well over ten rounds, notwithstanding that the list includes such powerful hitters as Fitzsimmons, Jeffries, Sharkey, Johnson and Sullivan. Going back to the year 1892, when Corbett won from Sullivan in 21 rounds the tables show that seven heavyweight title holders fought 18 battles in which the championship was at stake.

DEMENTTOWN DOINGS

There are times when a woman imagines that she suffers in silence. Everything considered a man has a helva time making himself believe that northern Illinois climate equals that of any of the so-called winter resorts.

Now is the accepted time to commence saving that dollar you expect to spend on Dixon's big dollar day. Some of the poetry a fellow writes to his girl certainly sounds awful when she pulls it on him five or ten years afterwards.

The meanest man in Dixon has again been located. Every time this fellow's wife's relatives want to take a ride there something the matter with his automobile.

A fellow with the gift of gab usually lands somewhere, even if it is in jail.

And there are some women with the same talent who certainly should land there.

Goose Hollow Letter

Hank Tumms sez as how he hain't daffy about this so-called Democratic prosperity, as it makes him work too darned hard.

And on the other hand Hi Higgins sez as how he can't see nothing the matter with prosperity in this country and he never finds it hard to git along. His wife hez got her job teaching school back again.

Anse Perkins allows as how he expects to go to work next summer if he kin fin dsmething to do that will allow him to spend most of his

These contests included those in which the battles terminated in a knockout or a referee's decision. All told 242 rounds were fought and the average rounds to a knockout was 13 1/2. In the list are several in which poor opponents were soon disposed of such as Jeffries-Munroe and Burns-Squires. When the list is pruned to those in which the title passed, the average is higher. From the time Corbett disposed of Sullivan until Willard punched Johnson into the championship class the title holders rose and fell and the number of rounds necessary in the changes of championships was 118, which gives an average of close to 17 rounds per title battle.

From these figures it will be seen that the chances of a knockout in the ten round bout between Willard and Moran are against such a feat. The records of both men would appear to be against scoring a knockout in ten rounds. Moran has fought 42 bouts, winning 19, or about 45 per cent by knockouts and the average duration of bouts ending in a knockout was five rounds.

Willard has engaged in 30 battles, 18 of which he won by the K. O. route giving him an average of about 60 per cent. The average of rounds to knockouts in the champion's case is 6 2/3 for these 18 bouts. That either Willard or Moran can fight up to these averages when faced by an opponent of the calibre he will be called upon to meet in this contest is most unlikely.

time out in front of the Corner grocery on a soap box.

Almost the Limit, Ain't It.
Woman's suffrage is spreading. We saw a hen chasing a rooster this morning—Logan, (W. Va.) Banner.

Spring Is Coming
It has been reported to this col. that the first game of marbles of the season was played by some North Dixon boys this a. m.

Dynamite
The respect for dynamite which people entertain is not because the stuff is ornamental, proud or vain. It boasts no classic symmetry, it has no brilliant looks; it taste is not the sort that's recommended by the cooks; and people who have followed in where it has left its smell have remarks so vivid that they wouldn't do to tell.

The thing which holds for dynamite the public's real regard is this—that when it has a job it labors fast and hard. It scorns the stately leisure of the Mexican or Turk and never takes a week or two to do a piece of work. It diligently hustles till its simple task is done before it ever thinks of recreation, sport or fun.

Where dynamite is busy, careful folks are never found with idle interruptions or with questions to propound. They say: "I see you're occupied—I'll call again—good day." They do not pause till they are six or seven blocks away. Ambitious fellow citizens should strive with all their might to imitate the industry displayed by dynamite.—A. B. B.

COLLEGE BETTER THAN WAR FOR FOREIGNERS

NONE OF FOREIGN STUDENTS OF U. OF I. WILLING TO RETURN HOME.

CONDITIONS GREATLY CHANGED

(Associated Press)

Urbana, Ill., Jan. 26.—War has no attraction for the foreign students at the University of Illinois, although many of them are veterans and had spurs to their honor before they had beards to their chins. A canvass completed tonight indicated that none was willing to exchange the laboratory for the battlefield or handle a gun instead of a test tube.

That the war conditions in Europe, Asia and Mexico has lessened the number of foreign students was also demonstrated. Last year there were 170 of them in the institution. This year there are 140 and many of these face financial worries as a result of conditions in their home countries. One Bulgarian who was ordered home to fight, gave up his government scholarship instead and went to work in this country. All the Mexicans have gone home, Mexican money not being as much as it sounds.

For another thing, funds are often delayed in transit while board bills are not. Exchange rates have risen also, this causing particular inconvenience to certain South Africans who have discovered by hard experience when a pound sterling is not \$4.8665.

No Word From Home.

Several students have suffered tortures through not hearing from home. The farm home of one Polish student was not far from the German-Russian line. All the grain and cattle on the farm were destroyed; the few belongings of the family piled on a wagon and they started out. After traveling 500 miles they sent word to their son but they did not know where they would go next nor has he heard from them since.

Two English brothers have a third brother who served in the aviation corps at Dardanelles. He had his choice on one occasion of dropping into the enemy's lines or confiding himself to the sea. He chose the latter and had the good luck to be picked up by a friendly steamer.

The Turkish government ordered a Greek subject home, threatening that if he did not come his family would suffer. Later he was commanded to remain as the allies had control of the sea.

But the foreign students consider their sacrifices for education worth while. One Armenian from Persia, who graduated last June, went back as a government under-secretary. Today word was received from a young Japanese who took his master's degree in 1914. He was grandly ambitious as a student and wrote: "All my dreams I am making come true."

Send 25 cents for 1 month's subscription by mail to the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

GREAT BILLIARDISTS IN DIXON

Lew Shaw of Chicago Will Play Exhibitions In This City.

Lew Shaw of Chicago, the great billiardist and the world's champion at fancy shots both on the billiard and pocket tables, will be in Dixon for an exhibition at the Brunswick parlors tomorrow evening. He is making a tour which will end on the Pacific coast, and will remain here until next week, playing an exhibition at the Elks' club Tuesday evening. In these exhibitions he will meet the best billiard and pool players in the city and he will also show his wonderful fancy shots, including the 20 and 14 ball shots, 14 balls at one shot, and many others.

SPORTS CARNIVAL OPENED TODAY

Greatest Meeting In History of Northwest Is Now On.

(Associated Press)

St. Paul, Jan. 27.—What is perhaps the largest outdoor sports carnival in the history of the northwest opened here today with a blare of bands, street parades, hockey games, tobogganing, skiing and skating; to be followed this evening with a display of fireworks and a review of a score of marching clubs, all in uniform. Crowds from all sections of the northwest, including large delegations from various clubs and fraternal organizations, are here for the carnival, which will continue until Feb. 5th.

Trial subscription of the Dixon Evening Telegraph for one month, 25 cents by mail.

SWITCHBOARD MAKES CHANGES NECESSARY

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Change 120 Numbers

On the old switchboard there were 120 numbers which were duplicated, and it is announced today that because of the change in the type of switchboard equipment it will be necessary to change these 120 numbers. Accordingly telephone subscribers are requested to correct their catalogues from following list especially those numbers which they are most likely to call. The new numbers are as follows:

K1151—Adams, Mrs. Elizabeth
X1097—Adams, R. D.
X1191—Akers, Nellie
X1170—Alexander, E. D.
X 89—Allen Construction Co.
K1118—Andres, Chas. F.
R1094—Anderson, Ole
X1141—Ankeny, N. A.
X1124—Annis, Myron
K1103—Atkins, Jay (Deay)
K 629—Ayres, Rodney M.
X1146—Austin, S. G.
K1176—Baird, Dr. R. L.
X1171—Baker, Milton
K1153—Bales, James R.
K1120—Barton, Chas.
K1111—Bates, A.
X1157—Bates, Ralph
K1096—Beede, Chas.
Y1133—Beier, Otto
K1086—Bennett, Emerson
Y 549—Bennett, Mrs. Rose
K1139—Bennett, W. H.
Y1134—Berg, W. S.
K1161—Berkey, N. R.
K1099—Bertoli, L. J.
X 756—Bishop, Geo. F.
Y1191—Blackburn, James
K1091—Blackburn, Peter D.
K1112—Blackman, Ed.
X1127—Boos, Lee
Y1130—Bosworth, Amos
R1085—Bosworth, W. A.
Y1166—Bowers, Mrs. Sadie
K1132—Bowser, P. C.
X1102—Boyer, S. A.
X1099—Boynston, Geo. E.
53112—Bradley, David
R1139—Brady, C. L.
Y1083—Brass, Miss Pauline
Y1138—Breisch, Frederick G.
X1115—Brenner, E. G.
Y1105—Brenner, J. B.
Y1080—Brewster, E. H.
Y1173—Brink, W. T.
Y1113—Brown, Walter W.
X1090—Buchanan, J. A.
Y 869—Buchner, C. A.
X1142—Buck, Mrs. M. E.
K1164—Builla, H. L.
Y1174—Burger, Lloyd
K1155—Burkett, Chas.
Y1128—Burnham, A. G.
Y1190—Burrows, H. E.
K1113—Burs, Ray
R1098—Busby, J. W.
X1134—Bush, Chas.
Y1131—Byers, John H.
Y1154—Byington, J. E.
K 695—Cahill, Frank
Y1155—Campbell, E. C.
X 549—Carlson, Mrs. Esther
R1138—Caulfield, Agnes
X 248—Caughey, R. C.
Y1110—Chandler, C. E.
K1188—Chessman, F. G.
X1108—Chiverton, Will
K1112—Clark, Prescott
K1123—Coakley, Chas.
Y1137—Collins, George
K1173—Cool, Chas.
Y1172—Cooling, L. F.
Y1141—Cortright, Shelby M.
K1156—Coss, Oscar
K1102—Courtright, E. A.
Y1160—Coveart, Harry L.
K 907—Covert, E. A.
K1145—Cox, W. H.
X1123—Cropsey, C. M.
Y1146—Croson, E. F.
R1103—Curran, Dan
K1144—Curran, Hugh
K 662—Day, Rev. C. H.
K1143—Deveney, J. M.
K 869—Dilworth, A. G.
Y1139—Dixon Concrete Co.
X1136—Duffy, Mrs. Mary
Y1091—Dugan, E. F.
K1182—Duis, Chas. F.
K1128—Dunham, W. S.
X1092—Dunvall, F. E.
K1104—Dysart, Collins
Y1163—Eckert, Mrs. Emil
2Y1163—Eckert, Wm.
K1124—Edgar, Dr. T. O.
K1163—Emmert, David
R1120—Emmert, John
X1152—Erbes, Wm.
Y 608—Erwin, John E.
Y 220—Espy, R. H.
Y1102—Fauser, Matt
R1128—Falkins, E. R.
X1166—Felson, Will
X1126—Finley, C. J.
R1180—Fiscel, Mrs. Lizzie
Y1140—Fisher, F. W.
K1088—Flanagan, Mrs. W. E.
K1165—Ford, Wm.
X1103—Fordham, F. A.
Y1094—Fry, Mrs. Winnifred
Y1120—Fuestman, Mrs. K.
Y1129—Fuller, E. A.
Y1106—Fulton, Robert
795—Gannon, M. J.
Y1092—Gaul, Abraham

X1096—Gibson, G. A.
R1119—Glessner, Jerry
X1082—Graehling, Geo. W.
K 823—Grant, E. W.
K1149—Green, John
K1181—Greig, Walter
K1101—Greig, W. T.
Y1135—Gullion, T. J.
X 818—Harms, A. W.
X1116—Harms, H. W.
K1092—Harrison, W. T.
K1162—Hasselberg, Henry
K1129—Hatch, Andrew
R1121—Heckman, Jacob
X1160—Heckman, Levi
R1190—Heinz, Mrs. Grace
X1159—Hennessy, John
X1118—Hennessy, P. R.
X1119—Hibarger, H. C.
K1138—Hobbs, Fred
233—Hofer, I. B.
Y1093—Hogan, Patrick
K1107—Hogan, J. C.
K1172—Holderman, Ed.
K1100—Holway, Thomas A.
Y1119—Hoyle, B. F.
Y1127—Hoyle, Ray V.
K1187—Huguet, C. M.
X1147—Hutton, John H.
Y 968—Huyett, H. B.
R1183—Jacobus, Will
K1148—Jeffers, Francis Decker
K 464—Johnson, B. F.
K1121—Johnson, Garrett
X1165—Johnson, Miss Julia
X1178—Jones, Mrs. Julia
X1158—Jones, Siggle
X1181—Julian, Mrs. M. M.
Y1115—Kopp, W. G.
Y1142—Kehr, Mrs. Esterla
Y 393—Keithley, A. T.
K1154—Keithley, W. E.
K1184—Keller, T. C.
K1114—Kennedy, Dr. J. H.
X1189—Ketchin, Henry
X1125—Klapprodt, Mrs. Mary
K1130—Klein, Armand
K1191—Klossowski, F. W.
X1088—Knapp, Roy
Y1187—Krug, Casper
X1140—Krug, Emil
R1081—Kuehnle, John
K1146—Laing, John T.
X1120—Lawson, F. M. (Dairy)
X1156—Lazarus, J. E.
Y1158—Leach, Morris
Y1189—Leake, J. H.
Y1132—Leas, Elmer
X1144—Lebre, Ule
Y1101—Lehman, W. W.
K 721—Leland, A. W.
R1087—Lengel, C. G.
X1101—Lennon, Barry
K1158—Lenox, Mrs. Geo.
Y1085—Leonard, Felix
R1095—Lepperd, Thomas
X1148—Lohr, James
X 873—Lord, Nolan
K1097—Malarkey, Mrs. Eliza A.
Y1165—Mall, S. J.
K1183—Maloney, Mrs. Michael
Y1184—March, C. H.
Y1121—Martin, C. L.
X1155—Martin, Eugene
K1175—Massen, Mrs. E. C.
Y1125—May, Jacob
K1170—Messer, G. G.
X1130—Miller, W. M.
K1116—Monahan, M. C.
2K1155—Mondlock, Wm.
R1122—Mooney, Miss Anna
K 878—Morris, George C.
X 393—Morris, W. S.
K1098—Mossholder, N.
K1185—Mosstoller, J. H.
K 561—Moyer, John E.
Y 784—Mulkins, Fred
Y1192—Myers, A. L.
Y1177—Myers, Geo.
K 460—McCleary, Mrs. Sarah
X1083—McCorry, Chas.
K1137—McIntyre, Miss Mary
X1117—McKenney, Mrs. Albertine
Y1153—McPherson, J. B.
K1147—Nelles, G. L.
X1132—Nesbit, C. E.
K1084—Nett, Geo.
X1173—Nett, Stewart
Y1150—Nixon, Wm.
X1162—Northrup, Lyell
K1117—O'Malley, John
Y1161—Onnen, Miss Rena
K1160—Oregiesen, Geo.
Y1081—Otto, Will
Y1117—Peacock, Ben
Y1171—Pearse, F. M.
X1091—Peterson, Veria
K1180—Phillips, Arthur
X1085—Pierce, Winfield
K1110—Pine, S. L.
X1098—Pippert, Chas. A.
R1134—Plock, Chas. W.
X1121—Pontius, Will
2X1145—Pope, Earl C.
Y1152—Powell, A. R.
K1126—Presbyterian Church
K1081—Preston, W. F.
K 386—Price, W. J.
K1105—Quadlin, James
R1159—Quick, Harry
X1129—Randall, C. F.
Y1176—Read, Lee
Y1157—Redfern, L. F.
K1186—Reed, Mrs. D. O.
K1122—Regan, J. M.
R1160—Reid, Maria J.
K1093—Reilly, Mrs. Mary
K1192—Reilly, Mrs. Phillip
Y1188—Resek, A. C.
R1102—Reynolds, C. S.
Y1175—Reynolds, E. D.
Y1168—Rickart, George H.
R1096—Ringer, H. H.
X1159—Rock, Mrs. M.
K 146—Roe, H. A.
X1128—Rogers, E. S.

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Crepe Toilet Paper 2 Rolls 5c
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Large Hair Nets, 18 for 25c
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TRAINS WERE LATE
All the early morning trains on the Northwestern road from the west were late today due to heavy storms in the west.

MANY FATALITIES
London.—There were 1,300 separate mine and quarry accidents causing the loss of 1,338 lives in Great Britain during the year 1914, according to the report of the chief inspector of mines and quarries, which has just been issued. This represents a decrease of 632 fatalities over 1913. Besides those killed there were 165,000 persons injured in the mines and laid up for a week or more, but this was a decrease of 19,952 over 1913.

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A big athletic program is to be held at the Y. M. C. A. building on Friday evening. There will be a "round robin" volley ball contest between teams from the Presbyterian and Methodist churches and the Y. teams, basketball contest between the girls' afternoon and evening classes, a game between two teams picked from the senior men's class and a bowling game between Poole's team and a newly organized team known as the All-Stars.

Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Thursday.
Christian church Aid—church.
Current Topics club—Mrs. F. L. Hamilton.
G. A. R. Circle Sewing—Mrs. Mae Brookner Cupp.
W. C. O. F.—K. C. hall.
Royal Neighbors—Miller hall.
Dorcas Society—Mrs. John Greve.
Thursday Reading Circle—Miss Bess Decker.
L. L. club—Mrs. George Anderson.

Friday
Congregational choir—Newberry home, Van Buren avenue.
Practical club—Mrs. Charles Keyes.
Mystic Workers—Miller hall.
Rebekah lodge—I. O. O. F. hall.
St. Agnes Guild—Rectory.
M. E. Aid—Church.

In Morrison
Mrs. L. Wold is in Morrison as the guest of Mrs. D. Erickson.

To Evanston
Miss Isabel Hardie returned to her home in Evanston after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Frederick C. Grant.

Guests at Rectory
Rev. and Mrs. Cleon E. Bigler of DeKalb are guests at the rectory.

We Four and No More
Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ahrens, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodsell and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bailey enjoyed a scramble dinner and social evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller Tuesday.

At Krug Home
Mrs. George Putnam and Mrs. Clifford Luckey of Ashton, who were here Tuesday to attend the Rebekah 20 anniversary celebration were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Krug.

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Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any falling hair and the scalp will never itch.

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Marry in Dixon
In a quiet ceremony occurring yesterday at the Brethren parsonage with the pastor, Rev. Olin Shaw, as the officiating clergyman, Miss Nora I. Wolford, a daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. William Wolford of near Ashton and Joseph C. Spratt, were united in marriage. The bride was very prettily gowned in white crepe de chine. Mr. and Mrs. Spratt will spend the week as the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Spratt of south of Oregon, and will later start housekeeping on a farm south of the Bradford church.

Golden Rule Circle
Mrs. Vernon Schrock pleasantly entertained the Golden Rule Circle of the Grace Evangelical church Tuesday evening. The usual business session was held, followed by a social evening, pleasantly punctuated by the serving of a tempting luncheon by the hostess.

Entertained Brother
Mrs. Wm. Martin of Palmyra entertained her brother, Mr. McDonald of Ames, Ia., the past week.

For Miss Morris
Miss Gladys Steel entertained last evening at bridge for Miss Lucia Morris.

Class Supper
The class of boys in the Methodist Sunday school taught by E. R. Curtis will hold a scramble supper at the church Friday evening. Games of various kinds and music will furnish the amusement.

Elks' Dance Tonight
The success that has attended the previous informal dancing parties at the Elks' club indicates that this evening's affair, which is for Elks and members of their families over the age of 16, only, will be a happy and well attended event. Music for the dancing will be by the Marquette orchestra.

Marryin' Sterling
St. John's parsonage at Sterling was the scene Wednesday afternoon of the wedding of Miss Rosa E. Zapf of near Harmon and Ernest C. Jacobs of Montmorency, Rev. E. C. Harris officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zapf. A peculiar interest lies in the marriage because of the many intermarriages in the two families, two brothers and one sister in one family having been united in marriage to two sisters and one brother in the other, and that all ceremonies were performed by Rev. Harris.

Dinner Guests
Dr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson and baby were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Parks of Rock Falls.

Entertained Niece
Mrs. Emma Geisler entertained Tuesday her niece, Mrs. Joseph Oddy of St. James.

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This city will have many "Pape's Diapepsin" cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be enthusiastic about this splendid stomach preparation, too, if you ever take it for indigestion, gases, heartburn, sourness, dyspepsia, or any stomach misery.

Get some now, this minute, and rid yourself of stomach misery and indigestion in five minutes.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lichtenberger, residents of Amboy a number of years ago when Mr. Lichtenberger was in the employ of the Illinois Central road, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their home in Freeport Wednesday.

With Mrs. Vaughan
Mrs. John Vaughan is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Drenner of Polo.

Entertained Dixon Ladies
Messrs. and Mesdames Frank and Ida Funk of Polo were hostesses Tuesday to Mesdames G. R. Rhodes and Dr. M. Fahrney of this city and Mrs. E. N. Johnson of Anthony, Kas.

Rebekah Meeting
All Rebekahs are urged to be present at the regular meeting of the lodge at I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening.

Attended Minstrels
Messrs. and Mesdames Frank and Harold Emmert of Nachusa attended the Elks' minstrels Tuesday evening.

With Mrs. Williams
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams entertained a number of friends at their home on Second street Wednesday evening, 500 being the diversion of the party.

Visit in Streator
Mr. and Mrs. Max Eichler went to Streator today where they will be entertained several days at the home of Mrs. Eichler's brother, Adolph Iskovich.

Entertained at Beatty Home
Mrs. C. A. Moyer was entertained yesterday at dinner at the Lewis Beatty home at the Bend.

Returned to Amboy
Walter Pressler returned to his home in Amboy this morning after a several days' visit here as the guest of Edward Witzleb.

At Bridge
Mrs. Frank Rosbrook is entertaining this evening with a table of bridge.

Walton Entertainment
On Saturday evening, Feb. 5th, a variety entertainment will take place at St. Mary's hall, Walton. The program will be in charge of eight members of Ft. Dearborn Council, Knights of Columbus, of Chicago, who are coming to Walton expressly for the occasion. Dancing with music by the Marquette orchestra will follow the entertainment. A chicken supper will be served by the ladies of the Altar and Rosary society.

Farewell Party
Miss Gertrude Witzleb and her brother, Edward, entertained a number of friends last evening with a farewell party for Tom Rossiter who left this morning for Chicago where he expects to attend the auto show en route to Detroit, Mich., where he will enroll in an automobile school. The early part of the evening was spent in games and music. Later a three course supper of oyster soup, olives, pickles, mashed potatoes, chicken and celery salad, coffee, cake and fruit was served. Sweet peas and smilax were tastefully arranged as the centerpiece. Among those present beside the guest of honor were: Misses Mabel Cupp, Avis and Goldie Beatty, Martha McCoy and Gertrude Albright, the latter of Bradford; and Messrs. Arthur Beier, and Ned Smith of Dixon and Walter Pressler of Amboy.

Visit in Chicago
Mrs. C. F. Woodburn and daughter Miss Lucy, went to Chicago today to visit of some time with Mrs. Stephen Cross, nee Miss Edna Smith, who visited here several years ago before her marriage.

Returned to Sterling
Mrs. Burton Tilly and baby son returned to Sterling after visiting here with her mother, Mrs. Woolver, who is at the Dixon hospital.

Postpone Socialable
The Presbyterian young people's socialable, to have been held at the M. H. Vail residence this week, has been postponed until next week Friday on account of illness.

MOTHER! YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH FROM CONSTIPATION

If tongue is coated, breath bad, stomach sour, clean liver and bowels

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails, to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Graybill-Manges
At 6 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of the groom's aunt, Mrs. F. W. Smith, occurred wedding of Miss Ruth A. Manges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Manges of Highland avenue, and Edward M. Graybill, the son of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Graybill of Lowell park. Rev. John Divon, pastor of the Grace Evangelical church, read the service in the presence of a group of relatives. A wedding dinner was served after the ceremony by Mrs. Smith. Among the guests at the dinner were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Graybill. Mr. and Mrs. Graybill will make their home in this city where Mr. Graybill is employed in the Money Back Tire shop.

For Miss Morris
Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Howell will entertain at dinner this evening, Miss Lucia Morris. Miss Gladys Steel entertained for her with cards yesterday.

To Live in Moline
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Neiswender, nee Miss Lena Erickson, who were married here Wednesday evening, have gone to Moline to make their home.

Hold Installation
The public joint installation of the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at Moose hall.

Party Series
Mrs. Ellen Walkgreen and Mrs. F. X. Newemer entertained a group of thirty ladies Wednesday afternoon at thimble party. Another group will be entertained Friday at a similar affair.

Scramble Supper
The Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary will hold a scramble supper at the church Tuesday, Feb. 1, at 6:30. Each member is expected to bring a guest. Those expecting to be present are requested to notify Mrs. C. P. Reid by Saturday.

Current Topics Club
Mrs. F. L. Hamilton entertained the Current Topics club this afternoon.

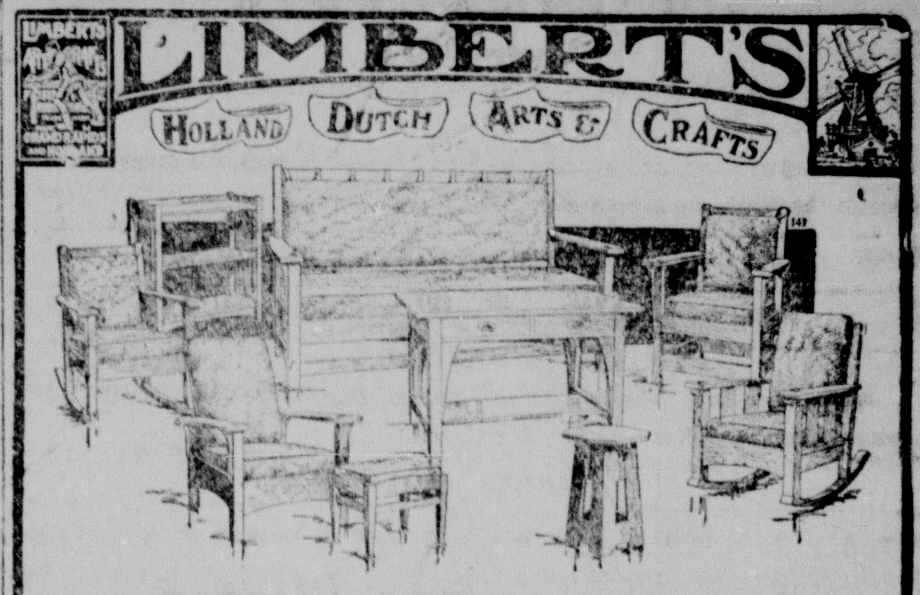
Lee-Brown
The wedding of Miss Clara Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown of Steward and Hiram O. Richardson of Lee occurred last evening at the home of the bride's parents.

Kingdom Bend Aid
The Kingdom Bend Aid society met yesterday at Brookside farm, the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hintz, for an all day sewing. Forty gathered during the forenoon to spend the day. A scramble dinner was served at noon. Instrumental and vocal music was enjoyed during the afternoon, forming an accompaniment to the sewing. A large number of articles were completed before the short business session was called. Mrs. Joshua Reed of the Kingdom will entertain the society February 9th.

Guest of Mrs. Garrison
Miss Katherine Kerns of Ottawa is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Garrison. Miss Kerns is nurse in the Ottawa Hospital Training school.

ACCEPTED SETTLEMENT
M. P. Roche, the DeKalb taxi driver who was seriously injured when his taxi was struck by a Northwestern train at DeKalb some time ago, in which accident George Shoop, caretaker of the Normal school was killed, has effected a settlement with the railroad company for \$5,000 and all hospital and surgeon's bills.

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Washington, Jan. 27.—The senate committee on foreign relations has agreed to take a vote next Wednesday on reporting the Colombian treaty to the senate. This treaty has been pending since the last congress. It was held up in the last congress by senators who were opposed to making a public declaration that the United States had done wrong in acquiring the canal zone. Opposition was also shown to a proposal to pay \$25,000,000 to Colombia by way of reparation.

It has been said that a well known international lawyer and former diplomat who is a close friend of former Secretary Bryan stands to collect a contingent fee of \$1,000,000 if the treaty is ratified and the \$25,000,000 paid over to Colombia. This is said to be about one-tenth of what was made by the syndicate which negotiated the purchase of the canal rights.

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ALL LABOR OF EXTRA SESSION SEEMS LOST

Necessary Votes in Illinois Senate May Fail to Show.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—Although a sergeant at arms of the state senate and four assistants have been busy since last Friday trying to corral a sufficient number of senators to enable the upper branch of the state legislature to concur in house amendments to the foot and mouth disease claim appropriation bill and the Chicago free employment agency appropriation measure, doubt is expressed whether there will be two-thirds of the senators on hand to put through much legislation.

The only other real accomplishment of the second special session was the striking out of one registration date in the Chicago election calendar and the limiting of the number of ballots to be printed. The foot and mouth appropriations, originally passed by the senate with claims for \$165,000 for losses and an emergency of \$200,000 to meet future claims, was changed by the house by cutting off of a claim of the Western Serum company for \$12,000 and a reduction in the emergency bill to \$100,000.

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Lowell Park In Winter

DIXON'S POPULAR RESORT ABOUNDS IN RUGGED BEAUTIES OF THE SEASON—TREES AND SHRUBS DELIGHT OF LOVERS OF NATURE.

The following is the first of a series of articles on Dixon's beautiful natural garden, Lowell park. It is written by a lover of the park who sees its beauties and the author's enthusiasm is a lesson to those of us who perhaps do not fully realize the great gift that has been bestowed upon Dixon by Miss Lowell. Our contributor says:

Seemingly few, if any, feel the lure the fascination of woods in winter for Lowell park is quite deserted during the winter months, and yet to one who truly loves and understands the woods the winter is their most bewitching season. By comparison, the luxurious growth of summer seems coarse and monotonous.

It is a mistake to feel that winter in nature is a time of desolation and squalor. In reality it is a time of very delicate and varied beauty depending upon the strong underlying elements of structure and line and has a far more pure and austere charm than any which spring can give or flaming October.

Many leaves still cling to the oaks, for that is one of their characteristics, but those that have fallen have ceased their drifting and are packed away by rain, snow and wind into deep, mottled carpets already resolving into mould. But the trees are sufficiently bare to show a tracery of exquisite beauty against the sky, a beauty that does not need brilliance of sunshine and blue sky behind it. It is quite as entralling on a grave, dark day that shows no break of brightness from dawn to dusk. We have not in "Our Woods" the strong color contrasts which please and the various colored beeches and sycamores give, nor are there many fruiting shrubs. The beauties are more subtle, more refined. You will find there every shade of grey and brown with touches of rose, lavender and mauve.

Individual and tree groups show their family traits more vividly now than at any other season. We have more oaks in the park than any other species and never does an oak look so sturdy as in its bareness. Even to the tip of the last jutting spur it is thoroughly staunch and individual. If there is any wind the branches fight the storm with a different motion than that of softer trees. There is none of that long, pendulous swing of top or boughs. The branches move continually, but yield little in any one direction, and dance and rattle like steel. The least twig has a resistance that alters the music of the woods. There is no sighing of the wind in a winter oak-wood.

The bark of each species of tree is so distinctive that one familiar with these characteristics can distinguish them perfectly, and a study of winter buds is a charming thing within itself. These differences are difficult to put into words but the eye can quickly learn to perceive them.

Among the low-growing things and there are a good many of them along the road leading from the entrance to the South Fell—show beautiful shades of rose veiled with a grey mist, this soft, feathery effect being known technically as "bloom." Continuing on to the brow of the South Fell near the Shelter, we will find a few strawberry bushes (Elyonurus Americanus). This is a native shrub, erect in habit, with green, four-angled twigs and a showy fruit, much like Bitter Sweet, with opened, crimson capsules displaying scarlet seeds. They are very decorative and one is strongly tempted to gather all there are, but we must forbear, remembering that these are not our woods, but the inheritance of generations. We are the first to be so fortunate as to have the use of them and we must not despoil them of anything that grows therein. This shrub can be bought from nurseries and is very effective planted in a shrub border in a moist, partially shaded corner at the back of a lawn. This is one of our shrubs which has been naturalized in Eng-

land, having been introduced there in 1886 and is much valued.

Scattered through the park is a great deal of the Black Haw (Vernum Prunifolium). This is a large shrub, or small, sturdy tree. In the spring this bears quantities of white flowers in rather tight bunches or cymes; these are now bluish black fruits. The most accessible group is below the South road where it is narrowest, near the south end of the South Fell.

Bitter Sweet (Celastrus Scandens) is fairly well distributed in all areas. It is not as heavily fruited this season as usual, although there is enough of the Orange and scarlet fruit to lend a color interest. This is about all there is now in the way of fruiting plants in the park but more are to be added eventually.

If there is frost and snow it gives a harder brilliance to the lights and colors, shutting out all the ugliness and smoothing out all rough places, and gives a fairly palace effect to everything in sight. A glint of sun breaking through the grey sky strikes colors, surprising in their fugitive richness. Some of the greys are positively dazzling.

The river, whether frozen or open, is dull, not clear and bright as when it mirrors the more colorful skies of spring or summer, but seen from the Fells with the hills beyond it is like a lovely silver ribbon holding them in place. Nearby, naked trees at the edge throw shadows of exaggerated length, such as cannot be equalled after the leaves of summer add substance to outline. The bank itself is as gay with its sparkling frost-work as with a summer fringe of flowers and the road at the foot of the South Fell hides all sorts of treasures, if you will but look for them.

There is as great a change in the life in and about the woods as in the trees themselves. At first there is a sense of infinite peace and a feeling of isolation, but lean against a tree and wait. Soon the real inhabitants will realize there is a visitor in their midst and come to investigate, unconsciously adding another pleasure to the day. Squirrels will spring from tree to tree and scold at the intruder. A rabbit with his "white flag of truce" waving behind him will leap across the path. If there is snow, field mice may be seen in the thick matted grass, dainty, furry little things, most interesting to watch.

And the birds—so different from our summer friends, but not a whit the less interesting. A chickadee will slip from its feather-lined nest in the heart of the tree with his cheery call of one high and two low notes. He is the very gayest if snow is flying, he is positively contagious in his exuberance. The nuthatch will be near, for he is a delightfully social little bird and is usually to be found in company with chickadees and brown creepers—that tantalizing little brown wood sprite, now this side of the tree, now that, climbing up the length of the trunk, taking just fifty seconds to clear the bark of larvae, now and then stopping for his wild, sweet song. These birds are recognized as having so much value as insect eaters that in several localities in the east yearly appropriations are made for winter food to attract and hold them. One pair of chickadees will destroy more insect eggs than the most expensive spraying machine. The only summer familiar is the jay, flitting by with his flash of blue.

Care of the park does not cease with these frosty weeks. The woods are carefully inspected and all defective trees and all that are interfering with better specimens are cut out and, let me assure you, it takes a real craftsman to fell a tree in the heart of a wood and do no damage. All suitable wood is made into fence posts for park use; the surplus is sold. Whole trees or limbs are cut to open up a view or frame a vista. All dead wood is cut out for the sake of preserving the rest of the tree. Anyone

Daddy's Bedtime

How the Brave Greek Story—Odysseus Reached Home at Last.



Minerva Told Him Where He Was.

"Do you know any children interested in Greek stories?" daddy asked Jack and Evelyn when they crowded around him. Then they clapped. "The ship the king of Corfu gave Odysseus sailed the bright blue sea, with kind winds guiding it and skillful rowers to keep it in the right course, until one famous, wonderful day it touched the shore of Odysseus' own home island of Ithaca! Now an interesting thing happened. The land that Odysseus loved better than any place on earth, the home he had longed for through ten weary years, and the loving wife and young son that he had carried in his deep heart's love all this time were now almost within arm's reach of him. And it happened that when his ship touched the coast of Ithaca he was asleep! So the Corfu rowers lifted him very gently, without waking him, carried him ashore and, heaping all his presents beside him on the sand, sailed away without even waiting for his thanks."

"They were gentle people, weren't they?" Evelyn remarked. "Now another interesting thing happened!" cried daddy. "Old Father Neptune, who, you remember, has command of all waters—the sea, the river Tiber and the tides—was so angry that the kind people of Corfu had put Odysseus beyond his power of shipwreck that when the Corfu boat set out to sail back home he turned it right into a huge rock just opposite the harbor of Ithaca!"

"Ooh—ooh!" murmured Jack and Evelyn. "And travelers who go to Greece now may see to this day the huge rock that was once a Corfu ship."

"But how long did Odysseus sleep?" cried Jack. "Until Minerva woke him. This goddess, you see, was always standing by to give him sweet, good care, while old Father Neptune was always trying to destroy him—and Minerva bent! He had been away from home so long that at first when a young shepherdess, who was Minerva, awoke him he did not recognize his own land—he probably thought he had just been shipwrecked again. But Minerva told him where he was, and, while tears of joy sprang into his eyes, she also told him that a hundred Greek nobles were at his home begging his faithful wife, Penelope, to marry some one of them. There were plans to be made, you see."

"And all the while Odysseus was away Penelope wove a shroud for his father and told the nobles she could not marry till the shroud was done. Then each night she unraveled it out," Jack remembered. "Oh, daddy," cried Evelyn, "we have to go to bed tonight!" But daddy only smiled and kissed them.

wishing this dead wood may have it for the cutting. It is required that he conform to the regulations set down by the keeper, who will assign him a certain area to work in. Stone is being quarried and hauled to the site of a new shelter, which will be built next summer on the North Fell at a point commanding a very fine view down the river.

But put some food for the birds in your pocket the first day it moderates and go and see for yourself all these fascinating things. If the ground is soft it will be best to leave your conveyance at the entrance, otherwise the roads will be so damaged that it will take weeks of labor to put them into condition again. At any temperature above zero, even though a high wind is blowing, within the woods ordinary winter clothing will be ample for tramping. The roads and paths are just as good as in summer unless blocked with deep snow. Let us learn to know and love "Our Woods" in winter as well as in summer for we are indeed the favored of the gods in possessing them and we must not lose any phase of their beauty. A day spent in the open in winter is worth a whole summer at the sea shore, but how often "we look for things unseen and miss the joys around us."

City In Brief

—Jonathan apples 40c peck; good potatoes at lowest prices; cabbage cheap; evaporated milk \$1 doz.; 6 pounds buckwheat flour 25c; 16 lbs. best granulated sugar for \$1 with dollar order; White Satin, Zephyr and Durkasco flour, prices low, each sack guaranteed; good corn, beans, kraut, hominy and pumpkin 10c per can; dill pickles 10c per doz.; navel oranges 25c per doz. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. 212

—Read the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

M. S. Stoner of South Dixon was in town Tuesday.

George Bishop went to Chicago today.

—If you are looking for a large, light, modern office room, you will find them in the Telegraph building. Enquire Evening Telegraph office.

Mrs. P. R. McGinnis and son Joseph of Route 5 were in Dixon Wednesday.

Mrs. LeRoy Buhler of Palmyra was in Dixon Tuesday.

J. C. Keegan of Polo was in Dixon Wednesday on business.

Bert Buhler was here Tuesday from Palmyra.

Art Tofte of Rock Falls was a Dixon visitor Tuesday evening.

Dr. J. W. Porter is in Rockford for a few days as the guest of his brother, A. G. Porter.

Miss Imo Shelhamer is in Chicago attending the Gossard school of instruction as this is Illinois week.

Jacob Huyett was here Tuesday from Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Spratt of Taylor were Dixon shoppers Tuesday.

W. F. Dotey was here from Dixon Wednesday.

Scott Morris of Franklin Grove attended the Gooch sale Tuesday.

Leon Reed returned to his home in Oregon after being a patient the past three weeks in the Dixon hospital.

—Read the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

Mrs. Charles Harrison of Harmon was a Dixon shopper Wednesday.

Miss Kathryn Devine is visiting friends in Chicago.

Mrs. A. Pennell of Chicago is here to visit her son, E. R. Pennell.

—Send your live stock to Shannon Bros. & Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago. 253tf

Prescott Clark has gone to Columbus City, O., for a short visit and before returning home will visit the auto show in Chicago.

J. W. Pine of route 2 was in Dixon today.

F. W. Martendale and wife of Morrison were here today.

Russell May of Palmyra was in Dixon today.

Mrs. M. N. Glenn of Ashton visited friends in this city yesterday.

C. A. Ogden transacted business today in Chicago.

John Roark of Rochelle visited here Wednesday.

Attorney H. S. Dixon transacted business today in Chicago.

—W. W. Wooley wishes to state that the notice published in the paper by the Northwestern National Insurance Co., in regard to policies lost or burned in the Countryman fire being void, refers to blank policies only, and that it does not refer in any way to policies now in effect and issued by him.

Dr. C. E. Smith and wife went to Chicago this morning to spend a few days.

George F. Brooks of Hamilton township transacted business in this city today.

Dr. C. A. Robbins and John Krug went to Chicago today to attend the auto show.

John Roberts and William Ford attended the Chicago auto show yesterday.

—Nurses' Record sheets at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Otto Beier visited the auto show today.

—Anything in job printing executed well and promptly by the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Mrs. R. L. Baird is visiting relatives in Sterling for a few days.

Leon Hart and Harry Stephens are attending the automobile show.

Edward Mensch and Oscar Buhler of Palmyra went to the city today to view the auto show.

George Beal has returned home from a commercial trip.

Miss Bessie Parker of Amboy was in Dixon today on business.

William Smith went to Amboy today.

Dr. Robert Saxmann has returned from an eastern trip.

Bert Gallup, railway mail clerk and a former resident of Dixon, was here yesterday on business.

Michael Conroy and Thomas O'Malley of Walton were here yesterday to attend the Llevan sale.

Mrs. F. L. Kesselring returned to her home in Franklin Grove today after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. J. O. Shaulis.

Robert Knapp Jr., was down from Ashton this morning.

H. T. and Clyde Rambo of Amboy spent the day here.

George Prescott and wife returned last evening from a short visit in Chicago.

Jule Williams spent yesterday in Chicago in attendance at the automobile show.

Peter Hoyle of Eldena was in this today.

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Miss Goldie Beatty visited at her home at the Bend last evening.

R. S. Kline, proprietor of the Money Back Tire shop, went to Chicago yesterday to the auto show.

Mrs. James H. Morris is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Alexander are expected home from New Orleans this evening.

Bert Kested of Palmyra was in Dixon today.

W. A. Eatinger was in Dixon today from Palmyra.

Attorney J. P. Devine spent the day in Chicago.

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Largest grape fruit	5c	Ladies' new ties	10c
Quaker corn flakes	5c	Thin bell tumblers, 3 for ..	10c
A. & H. 1 lb. saleratus ..	5c	Carpet tacks, 500 for	5c
No. 2 cans tomatoes, 3 for	25c	10-in. deep vegetable dishes	10c
Tall pink salmon, 3 for ..	25c	Large bleached bath towels	10c
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Best shelled pop corn, lb. ..	5c	Clothes pins, 60 for	5c

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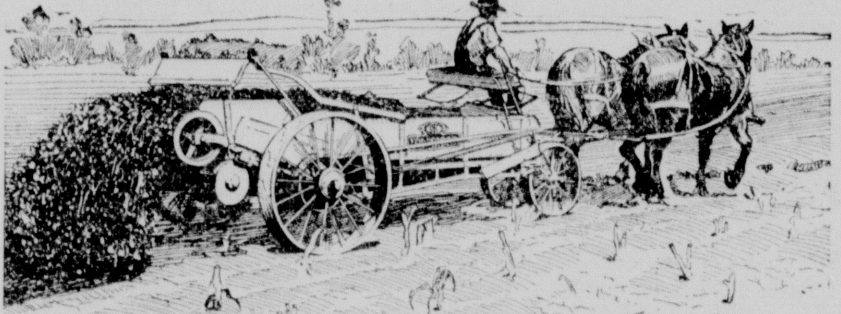
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Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight Manager Slothower will afford the theatre goers of Dixon a rare treat in a Mutual masterpiece entitled "The Victim," with Mae Meredith and Robert Harron in the leading roles—one of the best features ever shown in this city. The story is one that will interest everyone and in Mae Marsch, the leading woman in "The Birth of a Nation," you will see some very good acting. Robert Harron is also one of the stars of "The Birth of a Nation" and is considered one of the best in the moving picture world.

The comedy of the evening is a Cub entitled "Twin Brides," with George Ovey, the funniest man in America, in the leading role—a picture full of life and ginger.

FAMILY THEATRE.

They saw sixteen-inch shells crash into the heart of Manhattan Island and—

They believe the capture of Greater New York would only be a matter of a few hours.

They saw the American fleet destroyed, by a fleet of twice its size and many times its power, and—

They are convinced our shores are unguarded.

They saw a foreign foe, efficient, deadly—march with brutal and amazing power through familiar streets, and—

They know we are unprepared. They saw Americans lined against a wall like tenpins, and they saw a swivel gun make its sickening "strike," and—

They became champions of the cause for battleships—more battleships.

They saw the hand of the invading beast at the throats of women and—

They harkened to "the battle cry of peace." That was the name of the production—"The Battle Cry of Peace"—and a shrill and terrible cry it was. It is still ringing in the ears of those who gripped the arms of their seats last night at the Family theatre and watched with eyes that grew dry in their sockets the ferociously significant handwriting on the wall.

Written By a Naval Man.

"The Battle Cry of Peace" was written by Commodore J. Stuart Blackton, after he read Hudson Maxim's "Defenseless America." The book burned its way into his soul and he took a still mightier torch and is burning the same message into the minds and hearts of Americans.

The message is one that has been heard before—"Prepare!" But this time its true meaning came with a shock that struck at the throat and at the pit of the stomach and at the heart itself.

"The Battle Cry of Peace" will be repeated this evening at 7 and 9.

"EXPERIENCE" AT THE GARRICK THEATRE, CHICAGO.

"Experience" will enter upon the fourth week of its stay at the Garrick Theatre, on Monday night, with the record of having been absolutely sold out at every performance since this notable engagement began. No play in town has created the discussion aroused by this modern morality drama, which has been enthusiastically endorsed by members of the clergy and by state and municipal officials.

Owing to the enormous demand for seats, the management announces three special morning or "break-fast" matinees at 10:30 o'clock. These morning performances will be given on Wednesday, January 26th; Tuesday, February 12th (Lincoln's Birthday); and Saturday, February 22nd, (Washington's Birthday). On these occasions three performances on each day will be given.

Out of town patrons of the Garrick theatre may be interested in knowing that the management has altered the inner lobby of the theatre into lounge and rest room especially for visitors from out of town. It is now possible for anyone intending to go to Chicago to do their shopping and send all packages to the Garrick Theatre, where they will be properly checked by an attendant and delivered in the evening, or after the matinee, to patrons who may be attending the performance, and who do not wish to be bothered with bundles during the day time. Writing desks have also been installed so that visitors may transact correspondence while waiting for the performances of "Experience" to begin.

Mail orders are also filled by the Garrick Theatre in the order of their receipt. Patrons should designate two performances in ordering tickets so that if it is impossible to fill the first order, the seats may be

sent for the second performance named. The prices range from 50c to \$1.50 for all evening performances, except Saturday, when the highest price is \$2. The Saturday matinee is at the \$1.50 scale and at the Wednesday matinee the best seats are \$1.

In all cases seats should be ordered well in advance, owing to the enormous sale.



Mr. Thomas L. Dodd, with Bayley Stock Co., at the Opera House, week commencing Sunday, January 30th.

SPANISH WAR VETS TO HAVE INSTALLATION

DEPARTMENT COMMANDER SIEBEL OF CHICAGO TO HAVE CHARGE OF WORK.

The installation of officers of Baldwin Camp U. S. W. V. will be held at the Armory at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, and the installation exercises will be conducted by A. F. W. Siebel of Chicago, Past Department Commander. Mr. Siebel is a native of Woodstock and has been a member of the National Guard since 1896. He served as a volunteer in the Porto Rican campaign, re-enlisted in the guard at the completion of his law course at Lake Forest, and is now captain of Co. C, Second Ind. In 1909 he was elected Department Commander of the U. S. W. V. and during his term the department has had the most successful administration it ever had. In 1911-12 he served as Judge Advocate General of the U. S. W. S. under Commander-in-Chief Oscar Taylor of Pittsburgh. He is a big man in every way and the members of Baldwin Camp feel fortunate in securing him for this event.

MRS. E. C. SICKELS IS CALLED BY HER MAKER

Mrs. E. C. Sickels passed away at her home in Boardman place, North Dixon, at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, death being the result of a paralytic stroke which she suffered Wednesday, Jan. 19th, and from which she steadily lost vitality and strength. Funeral arrangements and obituary will be published later.

CHILDS HAS NOT BEEN FOUND

Relatives Have Not Heard From Missing Insurance Man.

Sterling, Jan. 26.—N. E. Kline, who succeeds T. N. Childs as manager of the Peoria Life Insurance company, states that not a word has been heard from Childs following his disappearance after the discovery of numerous forgeries which he committed.

It has been reported that Childs stung the company for large sums, but Mr. Kline states that this report is false and that he beat the company out of only a few hundred dollars expense money.

SANITY TRIED TWICE

Thomas Broderick of Sterling was placed on trial to determine his sanity today, this being the second time he has been brought up this week for the same purpose. The first hearing was dismissed because no one appeared against him.

DEATH TAKES FIVE PIONEERS

Each Had Lived Near Casey, Ill., Nearly 50 Years.

Casey, Ill., Jan. 27.—Five pioneer residents of Casey have died within two days, each having lived in this section nearly fifty years. They are: Eli Hauglin, seventy-nine; Addison Kline, ninety-one; Mrs. Mary Mullen, seventy-three; Mrs. Victoria Middleton, seventy-seven; and Mrs. Mary A. Montgomery, eighty-eight.

Gypsy Queen Slain.

Memphis, Jan. 27.—The body of Belle Stanley, wealthy queen of a tribe of gypsies, was found in a pond on the outskirts of town. The police say she was murdered.

PLAN BIG PAGEANT OF EARLY ILL. HISTORY

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MAY HAVE CHILDREN TAKE PART IN FETE

IN CONNECTION WITH CENTENNIAL

(Associated Press)

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—An agricultural pageant combining legend and romance with history and to be acted by children is being planned as part of the celebration of the Illinois Centennial in 1918. A general plan for such a pageant has been worked out by Mrs. Jessie Palmer Weber, secretary of the Illinois State Historical society.

Discussing the pageant, Mrs. Weber said:

"It has occurred to me that it might be of great interest to work up in pageant form the legends relating to Indian corn and I believe some of these might be used as the opening scene or introduction to a pageant.

"I think the story of Kaskasia would suit this purpose, especially in bringing out the French Commons in which each family was assigned its little portion of land for a garden, an orchard, and a limited grazing space. One might have the French settlers with their gardens and orchards and the ever-present wheat as well, as the Frenchmen always used white bread and did not depend on ground corn as did the Virginians. "Starting with the legends of the Indian corn with the Indian scenes, the tepees and canoes, then the arrival of the French commandant Boisbrant and the priests, the settlement at Kaskasia, the division of the land into commons, the quaint dress of the French perhaps the arrival of the soldiers at Fort Chartres and the first few French women might follow and then a very pretty scene would be the harvesting of the wheat.

"The changes in the government could be shown the arrival of English the coming of George Rogers Clark followed by the Virginians or "Long Knives." Then an interesting thing would be the establishing of the English settlement at Albion of which Morris Birkbeck and George Flower were the leaders. These men brought in improved methods of farming and the Colony house at Albion was like an English manor with beautiful lawn and a profusion of flowers. We might also portray the early distinguished farmers of the state and the manufacturers of agricultural implements."

INSIST BERLIN ADMIT WRONG IN LINER CASE

Washington Officials Give Germany Final Proposal.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Secretary of State Lansing delivered to Count von Bernstorff for transmission to Berlin the final proposals of the United States for settlement of the Lusitania case.

Ambassador Bernstorff was summoned to the state department shortly before noon. Lansing submitted the written proposals setting forth in unequivocal terms the position of the United States government that Germany must admit the illegality of the sinking of the Lusitania with the loss of more than 100 American lives. Arrangements were made that Ambassador Bernstorff should cable this communication to his government immediately. Nothing further will be done until Berlin is heard from.

LABOR SUPPORTS MINISTRY

British Toolers Vote to Aid in Work of Recruiting.

Bristol Jan. 27.—The British labor conference adopted by a vote of 1,847,000 against 206,000, a resolution entirely approving the action of the parliamentary labor party in co-operating with other political parties in the national recruiting campaign.

The resolution was passed amid cheers shortly after the three-day session of the labor conference opened. With the same majority the delegates adopted a resolution condemning German atrocities in France and Belgium.

U. S. BANS CHRISTIAN COUNTY

Hoof Disease Discovery Limits East St. Louis Yards to Slaughter.

Washington, Jan. 27.—A new outbreak of foot and mouth disease was discovered by the department of Agriculture in Christian county, Ill.

The county has been closed against cattle shipments, and the stockyards at East St. Louis will be permitted only to handle cattle for immediate slaughter, because there have been shipments from the infected county.

Nurses' Record sheets at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

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Men's Suits in \$15, \$16.50 and \$18 values	\$10.75
Men's Suits in \$20 and \$22.50 values	\$13.75
Men's Suits in \$25 and \$27.50 values	\$16.75
Men's Overcoats, \$18.00 Values	\$13.50
Men's Overcoats, \$20.00 Values	\$15.00
Men's Overcoats, \$22.50 Values	\$16.75
Men's Overcoats, \$25.00 Values	\$18.00
Men's Overcoats, \$30.00 Values	\$22.50

General price reductions on Boys' Suits and Overcoats. Manhattan and Emery Shirts reduced for quick clearance.



HUNDREDS SHOT IN BERLIN RIOT

60 Die and 300 Injured by Machine Guns, Report Says.

TROUBLE CONTINUES 3 DAYS

Troopers Are Reported to Have Refused to Fire on Mob Demanding Peace—Reign of Terror at German Capital as Women Ask for Their Husbands' Return.

Paris, Jan. 27.—Scores were shot down at a peace demonstration in Berlin on January 12, according to the story of a "neutral" printed here. More than sixty persons were killed and at least 300 wounded, this individual, who claims to have been in the German capital until January 15, declares. He pictures a reign of terror in which troops mutined, refusing to fire on rioters. Machine guns were then turned against the crowds, he says. His story follows:

"On January 8 a mob composed of women and children formed in the slums of Berlin and started toward Unter Den Linden and the Imperial palace. They were halted and dispersed by armed police.

All Cafes Closed.

"The government, foreseeing the approaching crisis, then called in two regiments of the second landstrum, garrisoned at Potsdam. The troops arrived on the scene and immediately began policing the district between Brandenburger Tor and Arsenal-Platz. Mounted patrols were placed in the principal streets and the palaces of the kaiser and crown prince were surrounded by troops. As an additional measure of precaution all cafes in the danger district were closed by the military authorities.

"On January 12, although the city was virtually under martial law, an immense mob gathered in the slums and formed into a long procession of misery, bearing huge black banners on which were painted in white such phrases as 'We Want Bread,' 'Give Us Back Our Husbands,' 'We want peace,'

Patrols Flee Crowd.

"The mob streamed amid the wildest excitement through the capital, passed yelling before the doors of the Reichstag, surged through Brandenburger Tor and rushed along Unter Den Linden toward the Imperial palace and Arsenal-Platz, driving the mounted patrols before it.

"Suddenly two companies of soldiers barred the way. They were ordered to fire into the crowd. Not a man would raise his musket, but the mutinous troops, drawing back, unmasked two machine guns, which immediately opened a destructive fire.

Drop by Scores.

"No word can suffice to describe the horrible carnage ensuing. There was a veritable reign of terror while women and children, riddled with bullets, dropped by scores.

"It was reported afterward that the machine guns' toll was more than sixty dead and over 300 wounded.

ARREST THREAT FOR VENIZELOS

Greek Crown Prosecutor Begins Action Against Ex-Premier.

HE UPHELD THE CONSTITUTION

Vienna Reports That Montenegro Has Ended the War—Delegates Sign Articles Providing for Laying Down of Arms—Bulgars Defeated in Albania by Essad Pasha.

Berlin, Jan. 27.—The Sofia newspaper Utro prints a dispatch from Athens saying the Green crown prosecutor, upon government orders, has commenced proceedings against ex-Premier Venizelos.

If the Greek statesman does not appear for examination, the dispatch says, he will be arrested to answer for his recent utterances and actions, opposing the Greek government's stand favoring neutrality and opposition to aiding the entente allies.

Montenegrins Drop Arms.

An announcement made during the day by the Austro-Hungarian headquarters said the delegates of the Montenegrin government at 6 o'clock Tuesday night signed articles providing for the laying down of the arms of the Montenegrin forces.

The statement adds the disarming is going on without difficulty and has extended to the districts of Kolasin and Andrijevica.

Albanians Defeat Bulgars.

London, Jan. 27.—Bulgarian forces are said to have advanced into central Albania and come in contact with Albanian troops under Essad Pasha, provisional president of Albania, who is co-operating with the entente allies. The Bulgars were defeated.

An agreement in principle is said to have been reached between Great Britain and Greece in regard to supplies of coal for Greek industrial needs.

FORD TO QUINTUPLE PLANT

Motor Company to Increase Force from 20,000 to 100,000 Men.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 27.—It is officially announced that the Ford Motor company will within thirty days begin the erection of additional buildings that will enable the company to triple their present output. The announcement came from Vice President Klingensmith. The vast improvement means an expenditure of from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000 and according to Klingensmith, the company will employ 100,000 men within five years.

At present there are over 20,000 men employed at the Detroit plant and the aim of the company is to produce 500,000 cars this year. The enormous addition which according to officials will startle the industrial world is made necessary by the mammoth increase of business.

—Read the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

JUST NEW JOB FOR HIS KIN

Kaiser Proposes Serbia Accept His Second Son for King.

London, Jan. 27.—Germany is continuing her efforts to conclude a separate peace with Serbia, according to the Athens correspondent of the Daily Mail.

The correspondent says that Germany has offered to extend the Serbian boundaries in the direction of Bosnia and Herzegovina and re-establish the kingdom under Austro-German suzerainty with Prince Eitel Friedrich, Emperor William's second son, on the Serbian throne.

ARABS DEFEATED BY BRITISH

Senussi Tribesmen Driven Back Three Miles and With Heavy Losses.

London, Jan. 27.—Reuter's correspondent at Cairo in a dispatch dealing with the British General Wallace's victory over the Senussi tribesmen, says 4,500 Arabs were engaged and driven back three miles.

The British casualties were twenty-six killed and seventy-four wounded. The enemy's casualties were 150 killed and 500 wounded.

REPORTS TURK LOSSES BIG

Rome Dispatch Says Caucasus Casualties Are 80,000—4,200 Ships Sunk.

London, Jan. 27.—It appears that the Turks are losing heavily in face of the Slav Caucasian drive. A wireless dispatch from Rome estimates the Turkish losses in the recent fighting in the Caucasus at 80,000.

It adds that the Russians up to date have destroyed 4,200 Turkish vessels in the Black sea.

Allies Halt German Attack.

London, Jan. 27.—Two days of almost incessant artillery and infantry assaults by the Germans to break through the allied lines in Flanders have been checked by French and British counter attacks, but the entire front is busily preparing for a renewal of the gigantic duel.

WE WONDER TAXES ARE HIGH

Just Two More Boards Have Been Added to Our State.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—Governor Dunne signed the bills passed by the special session of the Forty-ninth general assembly, creating the centennial commission, the pension laws commission, to legalize county bond issues for road construction and to amend the primary election act, and made appointments on the two commissions.

The appointments are: Pension laws commission—Professor H. L. Rietz, University of Illinois, Urbana, and George E. Hooker, J. P. Dillon and Marcus Jacobowsky of Chicago; centennial building commission—Arthur M. Fitzgerald and George Pasfield, Jr., Springfield.

CLAIMS BRITISH AGAIN LOSE

Constantinople Says Position of Foe Becoming Serious in Mesopotamia.

London, Jan. 27.—The third British defeat in three successive days, with enormous losses inflicted by the Turks east of Kut-el-Amara is announced officially in Constantinople dispatches. If the statement can be credited it appears the British situation in Mesopotamia is increasingly serious.

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GEORGE NETTZ GARAGE
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500,000 PINES PROSPERING

American Forestry for January contained an article on the use of sterile land that is of particular interest to Illinois farmers. American Forestry is the official publication of the American Forestry Association of Washington, D. C. The article in full follows:

Out in Oregon, Ill., a scheme of reclamation is being worked out by Col. Frank O. Lowden that is attracting the attention of forestry men all over the country. When Colonel Lowden began the development of Mississippi land on the Rock river, he found many apparently barren spots of



INSIDE THE THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD PINE GROVE

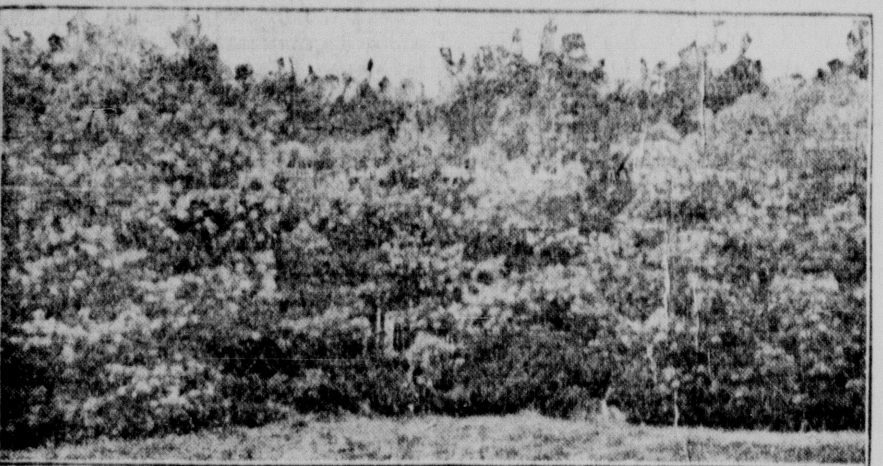
Showing how scientific planting and proper care of the trees is developing a stand that in a comparatively few years will have considerable commercial value. Colonel Lowden now plants 50,000 pine seedlings every year.

sandy soil that offered an opportunity for experiment in tree planting. He determined to try pines. He started with seedlings. They grew rapidly and offered a suggestion that he promptly followed up. The accompanying photographs show the result. Here is a picture showing pines two and a half years old. Another picture shows an exterior of a pine grove thirteen years old, this grove being the first planted by Colonel Lowden. A third



WALK THROUGH THE THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD PINE GROVE.

Not only does the owner expect to make this pine yield him a handsome profit, but while it is reaching a marketable size he has the advantage of it adding greatly to the scenic beauty of his estate, as is evident by this photograph.



A THIRTEEN-YEAR-OLD PINE GROVE.

This grove, grown from seedlings on Colonel Lowden's farm, is an indication of how the planting has grown from the experimental to a hard-headed business proposition.

picture is of a beautiful walk through the thirteen-year pines which are within a stone's throw of the Rock River. The fourth picture is an interior view of the thirteen-year grove. For years the needles have been dropping from the trees and the ground is hidden beneath a light brown covering, soft and inviting.

Colonel Lowden's experiment ceased long ago to be an experiment and became a hard-headed business proposition. He abandoned the use of seedlings and substituted transplants. At the rate of 50,000 per year he has dotted



THESE PINES ARE TWO AND A HALF YEARS OLD.

They are part of five hundred thousand pine transplants and trees upon the farm of Col. Frank O. Lowden, at Oregon, Ill. Note the large yearly growth so plainly visible.

His farm with these slips of waving green until today he has 500,000 pine transplants and trees, varying in age from two to thirteen years, upon his farm. In a few years Mississippi farm will be a great green spot, winter and summer. Many people in the middle West have never seen a pine tree, but they will be able to see them at their best only one hundred miles, as the crow would fly, west of Chicago.

ROCHELLE
Rochelle Jan. 25—Mrs. Emma V. Cole is under the care of a physician. Mrs. Conzett has charge of the Elite Millinery during her sickness.

A joint meeting of the Missionary and Ladies Aid societies of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. Curtis Downer, Friday afternoon. Miss Bernice Hunting of Tripoli, Syria, addressed the meeting.

Samuel Moore, of Oregon, and Miss Nelma Wilkerson, who were married by Rev. Dr. N. Scott, Saturday, Jan. 15th, will make their future home in this city.

Grant Ritchie has returned from a business trip to Norman, Okla. He was disappointed in his plan to

erect a barn. The thermometer dropped from 65 above to 2 below zero.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Phelps are furnishing their new home on N. Eighth street, preparatory to moving in.

Earl C. May of Auburndale, Fla., writes: "Just wanted to tell you that the thermometer is around 75 degrees and has been that way for the past three weeks. Roses are blooming; fruit is ripe; swimming is fine."

Mrs. Murphy, George Koleath, and Miss Lucie Maxfield were some of the winners of prizes for clever costumes at the Royal Neighbors' ball, Friday evening. Mrs.



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PROSECUTOR MARSHALL AND MONNETT, ONE OF EIGHT ACCUSED OF PLOTTING



DISTRICT ATTORNEY MARSHALL AND FRANK S. MONNETT

[Frank Buchanan of Illinois, member of the United States house of representatives, H. Robert Fowler, a former member of that body; Frank S. Monnett, a former attorney general of Ohio; Franz Hirtelen, a captain in the German navy; David Lamar, a Wall street operator; Jacob C. Taylor, the president of Labor's National Peace Council, and two other officials of that organization, Henry B. Martin and Herman Schulteis, were indicted by a federal grand jury in New York for conspiracy to prevent the manufacture and shipment of arms, ammunition, airplanes, automobiles, railway supplies and locomotives and other articles needed in modern warfare, from this country to Great Britain, France and the nations allied with them. These indictments are the first that have been handed down for alleged instigation of strikes and attempts to obstruct the manufacture of munitions, other alleged pro-Turkish conspirators having been charged with plots to blow up ships, destroy the Welland canal and otherwise violate neutrality. The provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law in respect of restraint of trade, were invoked in the case of Labor's National Peace Council. H. Snowden Marshall, United States district attorney for the southern district of New York, is the prosecutor in the case.]

Miss Winnifred McFadden is re-born with her mother, who has been ill covering from an attack of the grip.

Arthur Mead of Normandy spent last week in Chicago.

Thomas Murtagh's closing out sale held last Monday was largely attended and everything sold well.

Mrs. Clayton Wickhiser has returned from Deer Grove, where she had attended and all report a good time.

FAMILY DEAD, ENDS HER LIFE

Mrs. A. Harrington Suicides at Rock Island After Many Bereavements.

Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 27.—Left alone by the death of her mother, husband and three children within five years, Mrs. Anna E. Harrington, aged fifty-nine, prominent in fraternal society circles, killed herself by locking herself in her room and turning on the gas.

J. J. HANBERG REMITS \$36,116

Former County Treasurer Surrenders Commissions on Inheritance Tax.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—State Treasurer Andrew Russell received a check through the attorney general's office for \$36,116.22, representing 2 per cent commissions on Cook county inheritance tax collections made by John J. Hanberg, treasurer of Cook county from 1902 until 1908.

WASHING STREETS

The street department had a force of men at work yesterday and today washing the pavements in the downtown district.

MOVES HIS OFFICE

Victor A. Matteson, the LaSalle architect who designed the Elks' club, Loftus & O'Connell, Schweinsberg and other buildings in Dixon, has sent announcements to his Dixon friends telling of the removal of his LaSalle office to the New Doster building, 616 First St.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.

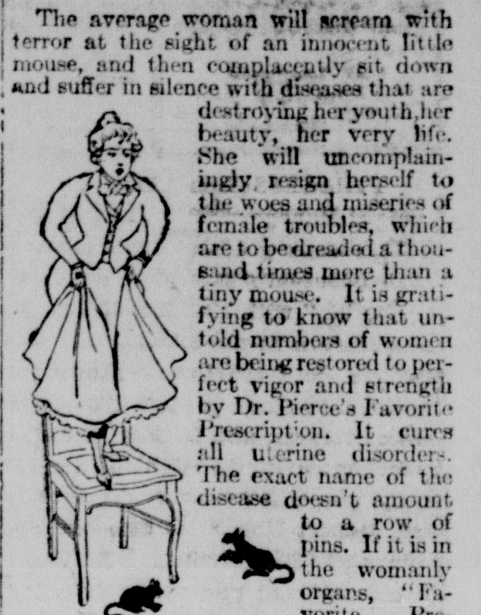
W. W. Gilbert to Joseph E. Vaile wd \$1 lot 10 blk 2 Van Epps Park add Dixon.

OBITUARY

ELVA MITTAN

Elva Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mittan, of Pawpaw, was born September 10th, 1914, and died Jan. 15th, 1915. She was a child of a cheerful disposition with a smile always for stranger as well as friend. Her presence was joy and sunshine to the home, and only those who knew her will know how she will be missed. She leaves her parents and two sisters, Gladys and Mildred to miss the loving example of pure child life that was so short. The funeral was held Monday at Scarborough with interment at the Elsworth cemetery. "God forbids her longer stay; God recalls His precious loan; He hath taken her away From my bosom to His own. Surely what He wills is best; Happy in His will I rest."

DANGERS REAL AND FANCIED.



The average woman will scream with terror at the sight of an innocent little mouse, and then complacently sit down and suffer in silence with diseases that are destroying her youth, her beauty, her very life. She will uncomplainingly resign herself to the woes and miseries of female troubles, which are to be dreaded a thousand times more than a tiny mouse. It is gratifying to know that untold numbers of women are being restored to perfect vigor and strength by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It cures all uterine disorders. The exact name of the disease doesn't amount to a row of pins. If it is in the womanly organs, "Favorite Prescription" will hunt it out and cure it. It can be a drain, a pain, an inflammation, an irregularity or a weakness, and this medicine will act directly upon it, and restore the organs to perfectly healthy action. It prepares the girl to become a woman, the wife to become a mother, the middle-aged to pass the "turn of life" in safety. It is not a "cure-all" but a medicine for women only, and is the prescription of Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., the world-famed specialist in the treatment of disorders of women. Any reader of this paper may consult Dr. Pierce free by mail.

A DIFFERENT WOMAN.

Jacksonville, Ill.—"I have used Dr. Pierce's medicine which I took for female trouble. I used three bottles of Favorite Prescription. When I got through taking it I was a different woman; I felt fine." Mrs. S. H. McCausland, 322 W. North St.

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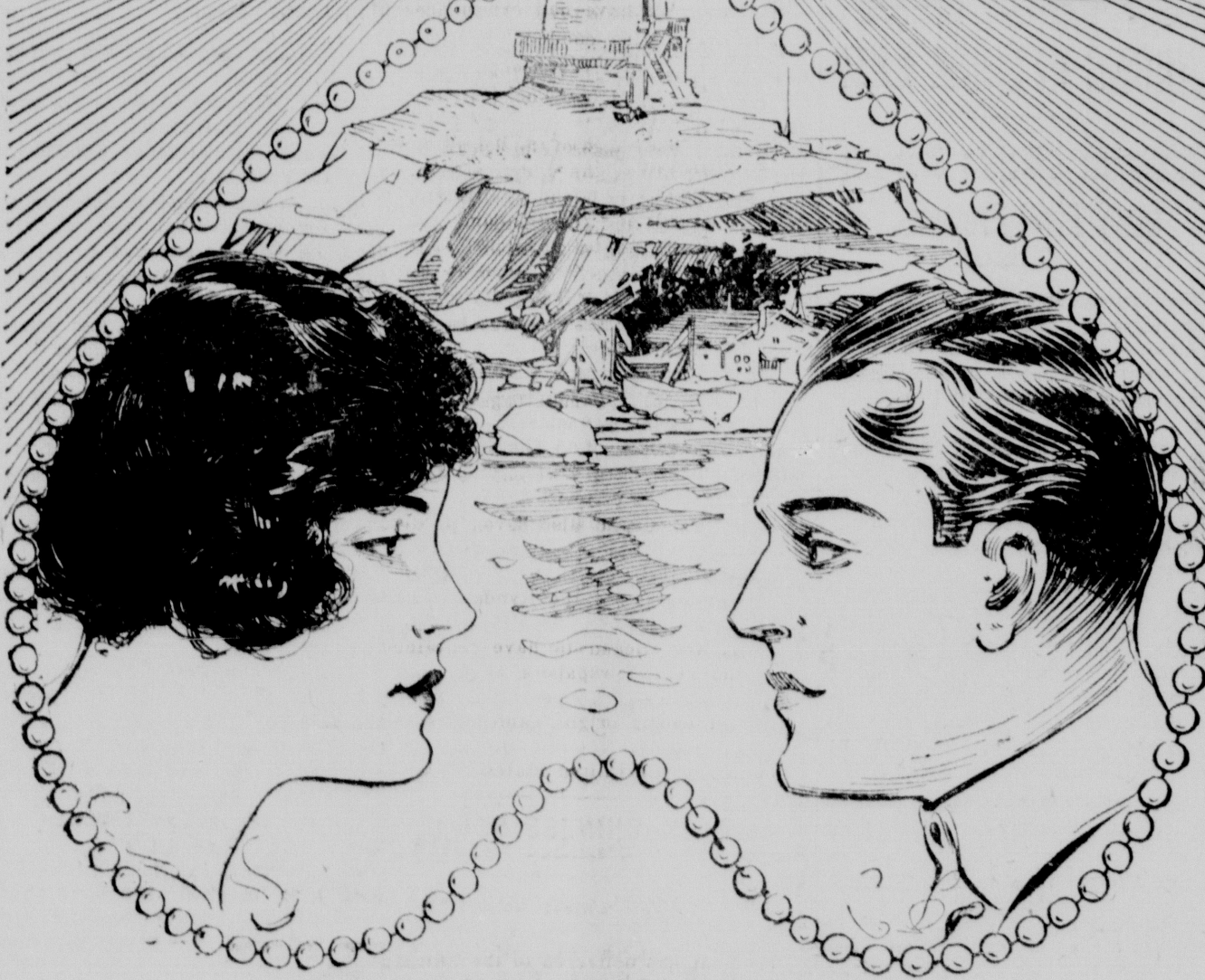
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WANTED: Learn barber trade in the finest and biggest system of barber colleges on earth. 53 branch schools and shops. Write for catalog. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia. 28411me

WANTED: Stenographer with office experience. Give age, etc. Address H. B. care of Telegraph. 131tf

WANTED: Tenant for a farm of 330 acres of land in southwestern part of Minnesota. Will give very reasonable terms as I do not want farm vacant. Possession March 1st. 176 acres under cultivation, 160 acres thoroughly fenced, and 30 acres already plowed for next spring's crop. Want desirable tenant with good horses and cattle. Will give good chance. Apply to Henry Lebowich, Dixon, Ill. 191tf

WANTED: Temporary home for boy 3 years old while mother is at work. See W. G. Kent, Atty. 1933

WANTED: Man and wife to go to Missouri for farm and housework. No children. W. B. Merriman, at Dixon Inn. 201tf

WANTED: Man to collect garbage at the Dixon Lunch Room, 116 Hennepin. 2033

WANTED: House or part of house to rent by March first by reliable couple. State lowest rent by letter to M. L., care Evening Telegraph. 20133

WANTED: Competent girl for general housework. Apply to W. C. Durkes, residence 722 E. Fellows. 201tf

WANTED: Boarders and roomers; beds will be furnished for transients at 25c per night. Apply at 85 Madison Avenue. 20133

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Several lots, bargains, in Dement's add. Phone 781. Mrs. G. H. Squires, 619 E. 2nd St. 117tf

BEST MINNESOTA BARGAIN.
About 625 acres of the best land in this state as smooth as a floor and cut on the north by good river (full of fish), and cut on the south by big ditch, just completed, and this ditch is about eight feet deep and shows the best of good yellow clay clear to the bottom. The top soil is the best black sandy loam to be found in Minnesota. The water is pure, and never failing well on the place, which is occupied by tenant. The farm is as smooth as the best of the Red River Valley it should not be confused with same, as this is near the highest point of land in the state.

There is fair house and also other buildings with some fenced in pasture and also some field in crop, and all the land desired for crop can be broken with tractor and as this is new land one crop of flax will pay for it at the bargain price of \$25 per acre. Five thousand dollars cash will handle the deal and it is near direct line to Duluth, which is the best market in the Northwest.

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FOR SALE: A fine building lot on Third St. Enquire of Miss Mary Wynn. Tel. 929. 1tf

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Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Fact.
If you think men meet with success
Your dope is wrong, son. Shake it.
Success won't call at your address;
You have to overtake it.

How Is It by You?

You are a patriotic American, we all know. And with some 999 other patriotic Americans you attend a meeting. The meeting is opened, and everybody rises and sings "The Star Spangled Banner." Everybody knows the first line, but the rest of the song goes like this, as far as you can recall it:

Oh, say, can you see by the dawn's early light,
Where the bright suns gleam, and the dewy stars
Oh, la la la lum, de da dum oh da de,
Tee ti ta toe tum de la lum dum di dum de.

And so on until the song ends.
And then the meeting closes with "My Country, 'Tis of Thee." And you rise and join in the singing in this fashion:

My country, 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of the brave and noble
Land where the la la la la,
Land de dum tra la la,
Oh, ti tum de la dum de da,
Dee dum ti tee.

Paw Knows Everything.
Willie—Paw, what happens when a train telescopes?

Paw—The passengers see stars, my son.
Whoops!
"I played a horse named Street Car at the track," said Mr. Howding.
"He won the race, all right, but was disqualified for crowding."

The Wise Fool.
"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing," observed the sage.
"It is if you haven't sense enough to keep it to yourself," agreed the fool.

Ouch!
He brags about his ancestry,
Does pompous Mr. Demmon.
It's plain to me his family tree
Produced at least one lemon.

This Isn't a Bit Nice.
The president was smiling broadly when his automobile stopped at the station entrance and he assisted his finances from the car—Peoria (Ill.) Star.

Saws Reset.
"There's one thing that's certain," says old Mr. Peck;
"A bolt on the stove is
Worth two on the neck."
—The Cincinnati Enquirer.

And here is a peg,
Which we somewhere have seen:
"A crack in an egg
Is worth two on your bean."
—Houston Post.

Gobs of Gloom!
Oliver Mourning has been awarded the contract to build a new casket factory at Wichita, Kan.

Quick, Doc, the Hypo!
Let's take the baby out today,
Put on his clothes and don't say nay.
The sky is bright, the day is fair,
The sun and his needs sun and air.

Any Other Nominations?
Dear Luke—For chaplain of the club I nominate Rev. N. O. Sweet of Franklin, O.—M. W.

Dear Luke—How about Rev. A. Golden of Work of Detroit, Mich., as chaplain of the club?—F. E. B.

How Many Has She?
Dear Luke—Miss Lohr Chinn lives at Parkersburg, W. Va.

Things to Worry About.
In one year a horse eats nine times its own weight.

Names Is Names.
Ann X. Spence is a young lady in Martins Ferry, O.

Our Daily Special.
If the man will make the opportunity the opportunity will make the man.

Luke McLuke Says:
What has become of the old fashioned boy who could manufacture a baseball out of an old overshoe and one of his mother's yarn stockings?

If the fool killer ever went to the theater he would be kept busy chasing the fellows who keep time on the backs of the chairs in front of them.

Being married doesn't come any easier for a woman than it does for a man. About the time friend husband is beginning to comb his hair with a towel friend wife has just enough hair left to do up into a knot about the size of an egg.

If a man had to work as hard at anything else as he has to keep his pipe in good running order he would get mad and quit the job.

Some men wouldn't mind being married if it wasn't for the fact that they are expected to go home every night.

If fresh air was sold by the cubic foot there are a lot of men in this country who wouldn't have to spend more than a dime a year for the amount they use.

After a town grows big enough to be incorporated as a city the first change made is to call the post house the isolation hospital.

It is mighty easy to make good resolutions. But it is mighty hard to make good.

Friday, Jan. 25—Sale of old plank flooring of the Grand Detour bridge, at Grand Detour, at 1 o'clock. Bridge Committee: Wm. Palmer, L. E. Burket, D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

BRITAIN DROPS BLOCKADE PLAN

London Will Stand Pat on Present Rules.

NEEDS PROTESTS OF NEUTRALS

It Might Prove Interesting to Those Critics of U. S. at Home Who Say There is No Respect for America Abroad—France and England Fear Us, Paper Admits.

London, Jan. 27.—Hereafter French warships will assist British vessels in blockade duties in both the English channel and the North sea, participating in examination of mails and cargoes. France will be consulted on all questions concerning the blockade. Joint Anglo-French replies will be made to any protests on the subject.

London, Jan. 27.—The British government has virtually decided to stand pat on its present trade regulations and will make no announcement of a blockade of the entire German coast in parliament, the majority of well-informed parliamentary writers agree. Only a few papers cling to the belief that the cabinet will announce a radical change of policy. The net thrown about Germany by the existing regulations may be tightened in some respects. But it was the general belief of the newspapers that the cabinet has decided against any revolutionary change in policy.

Protests Have Effect.

The storm of protest raised in the United States and in Sweden, some of the papers broadly hinted, has cooled the ardor of advocates of the blockade if it has not had its effect upon the government.

The newspapers gave prominent display to the warlike utterances of the Swedish premier in his riksdag speech Tuesday, and the Daily Telegraph and the Daily News cautioned the government against any action likely to involve Great Britain with neutrals.

Asks What of United States.

"The firebrands of the press have demanded that we brush neutrals out of our path with a strong hand, but what would be the position of the entente allies if the vast resources of the United States ceased to be at their command?" asks the News.

"There is reason to believe that the foreign secretary will announce that the government has reached no important decision with reference to the foundation of our policy," said the Telegraph.

"This country," adds the Telegraph, "may be content with the present measures, which, if apparently slow, are sure, and which hitherto have been adopted without any severance of friendly relations with the neutral powers. We have had experiences of the past consequences of imperious and overbearing conduct."

Germany Imports Through Mails.

London, Jan. 27.—The British foreign office published a list of goods in postal mail bags of the central powers taken from the Dutch steamship Pelsla, outward bound, Tubantia, inward bound, and the Ryndam.

The mail bags taken from the Pelsla contained rolled gold chains, gold earrings, bracelets, rings and brooches, and drugs, dyes, oleographs and machine needles.

Marked as Samples.

The Tubantia's mail bags are said to have contained four sacks of rubber in packets marked "samples, without value," of a total weight of 73½ pounds and addressed to Hamburg from Brazil; and also seven packets of wool from Uruguay to Berlin of sample size.

Examination of the Ryndam's mail bags has not been completed but the mails are alleged to have contained 60 per cent newspapers, 30 per cent propaganda and 10 per cent goods. "all of enemy origin," and addressed in most cases to firms with German names in the United States.

RENEW CHINESE DEMANDS

Manchester Guardian Sees Danger in Japan's Latest Action.

London, Jan. 27.—The Japanese government has delivered to the Chinese minister in Tokyo for transmission to his government a note embodying seven demands which were included in the Japanese program of last spring. The Manchester Guardian learns from far eastern sources.

The Guardian expresses the hope that this news will be "authoritatively contradicted," as the demands when previously presented were full of danger to China's independence, and their general effect would have been to place China under the tutelage of Japan.

Peace Heads at Stockholm.
London, Jan. 27.—Reuter's Stockholm correspondent says that the working committee of the Ford peace expedition has arrived there and will remain until the peace negotiations are officially begun.

BY MAIL

The Evening Telegraph is \$3 a year; the Semi-Weekly Telegraph is \$1.50 a year.

IT'S SURPRISING

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It's surprising how few know what to do. Kidney trouble needs kidney treatment.

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MARKETS

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Local 2-corn quotations.

	Pay 80
Creamery butter	38
Dairy butter	30 35
Lard	10 15
Eggs	32 37
Potatoes	85 110
Spring chickens	16 20
Ducks	13 22
Geese	18 22
Turkeys	25 30

Poultry.

Light hens	8
Heavy hens	9
Springers	13
Old Toms	10
Indian Runners	15
Young turkeys	18
White ducks	10
Geese	9

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Chicago, Jan. 27, 1916

May 136	137 1/2	137 1/4	136 3/4
July 126	127 1/2	125	127 1/2

Corn.

May 78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2
July 79 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2

Oats.

May 53 1/2	53 1/2	53	53 1/2
July 49 1/2	49 1/2	49	49 1/2

Wheat.

Jan 2022	2040	2022	2040
May 2050	2070	2047	2067

Lard.

Jan 1032	1032	1032	1032
May 1055	1065	1055	1062

Ribs.

Jan 1070	1082	1070	080
May 1105	11175	1105	1112

Receipts today

Hogs 50,000
Cattle 50,000
Sheep 10,000

Hogs left over 12,400. Open steady.

Mixed 715a765.

Heavy 725a767 1-2.

Rough 695a720.

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Sheep strong.

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight: Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun	7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:10 a. m.
121 Clinton Exp.*	6:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp.*	10:06 a. m.
124 Local Mall	6:10 p. m.
120 Local Exp.*	8:19 p. m.

Freight Freight* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m.	9:05 p. m.
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun	10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
10 11:19 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sua. only	7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun.	10:20 a. m.
59 7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13 10:30 a. m.	1:05 p. m.
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:26 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
17 9:35 p. m.	11:53 p. m.
*7 10:00 p. m.	12:23 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
*Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria

TIME MAILS CLOSE

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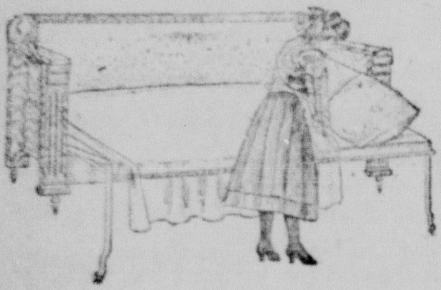
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A large quantity of hemp salvaged from an incendiary fire last fall on a steamship pier stacked with war munitions was being dried in the building. Officials said there was no trace of incendiaryism, and that the building was considered a heavy risk because of the hemp drying.

Three of the first six found dead lost their lives leaping from fourth-story windows. Three others were suffocated. All were men. Several others who jumped from windows were caught in blankets.

Says Turks Seek Peace.
Zurich, Jan. 27.—The distinguished Turkish diplomats Refaat Paasha, Nebi Bey and Etemme Bey have arrived in Switzerland to prepare a scheme of Turkish peace proposals, the newspaper La Suisse declares. Financial troubles. It was stated, have made Turkey desirous of peace.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Owing to the condition of my health I have been advised to take a complete rest. For that reason will not be in my office until about March 1st, 1916.—Dr. J. A. VALEN TINE. o 7tf

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NOAH W. BEAL.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of tax collector of Dixon township at the election April 4.

GRACE G. STEEL.

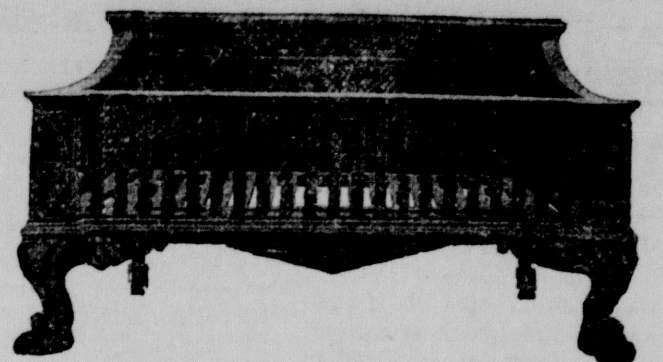
—Read the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

Says Peach Crop Is Ruined.
Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 27.—A. M. Augustine of Normal, secretary of the State Horticultural society, says the peach crop in Illinois from Centralia north has been killed by the extreme cold weather.

Prepared for Grip Epidemic.
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—A thief took three shrouds, a black leather grip and a smaller leather bag containing embalming tools from a Springfield undertaking establishment.

Newspaper Man Gets \$3,000 Job.
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—G. M. Doying of Jacksonville has been appointed to a \$3,000 position as assistant secretary of the public utilities commission.

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